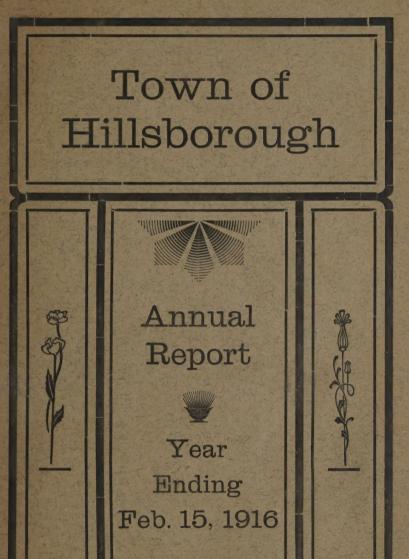
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NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE LIBRARY



ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OF HILLSBOROUGH

COMPRISING THE REPORTS OF

Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Road Agent, Health Officer, Board of Education, Town School Board, Auditors, and Precinct Officers

FOR THE

FISCAL YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1916

AND THE

Vital Statistics for the Year Ending December 31, 1915.

HILLSBOROUGH, N. H.
FLANDERS & CHADWICK, Printers.
1916.

TOWN OFFICERS.

MODERATOR, STILLMAN H. BAKER.

SELECTMEN AND ASSESSORS, CHARLES S. FLANDERS,

FRED B. MONROE,

EUGENE C. RUMRILL.

TOWN CLERK,
WILLIAM H. STORY.

TOWN TREASURER,
WILLIAM H. DENNISON.

COLLECTOR OF TAXES,
AMOS A. WYMAN.

HIGHWAY AGENT.

SUPERVISORS,

DANIEL W. COLE.

HERBERT H. EATON,

IRA W. JACKMAN.

HEALTH OFFICER,
DR. WARREN P. GRIMES.

OVERSEER OF THE POOR, STILLMAN H. BAKER.

TRUSTEES OF THE FULLER PUBLIC LIBRARY,

GEORGE W. HASLET, LEON S. HILL, CHARLES S. FLANDERS, FRED B. MONROE, EUGENE C. RUMRILL.

AUDITORS,

GEORGE W. HASLET, LEON E. ANNIS, ALFRED L. MANSFIELD.

CHIEF OF POLICE,
FRANK D. PAIGE.

TOWN WARRANT.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

[L. S.]

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Hillsborough, County of Hillsborough, in said State, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Childs' Opera House in said town on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act on the following subjects:

ARTICLE 1. To choose three selectmen, town treasurer, tax collector, highway agent, town clerk, and chief of police for the ensuing year, trustee of the Fuller Public Library for the two ensuing years, a board of three trustees of trust funds, one for one year, one for two years, and one for three years; and all other necessary town officers or agents for the ensuing year.

- ART. 2. To hear the reports of the selectmen, town clerk, town treasurer, tax collector, and highway agent to the town auditors, the reports of the auditors, agents, committees, or other town officers heretofore chosen or appointed, and to pass any vote relating thereto.
- ART. 3. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to meet the current expenses of the town and apply upon the principal and interest of the town debt, or pass any vote relating thereto.
- ART. 4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the building and repairing of highways, bridges, and culverts.

- ART. 5. To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money, not to exceed seventy-five dollars (\$75.00), for Senator Grimes Post, G. A. R., to be used Memorial Day.
- ART. 6. To see if the town will vote to continue the present laws in force prohibiting cattle and horses from running at large in the highways.
- ART. 7. To see if the town will vote to raise any money for the support of the Fuller Public Library, or pass any vote relating thereto.
- ART. 8. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the amount of money necessary to secure state aid for the permanent improvement of highways.
- ART. 9. To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money, not to exceed two hundred dollars (\$200.00), for the support of band concerts the coming season, or pass any vote relating thereto.
- ART. 10. To see how much money the town will raise and appropriate for the preparation and publication of the town history, and pass any vote relating thereto.
- ART. 11. To see if the town will vote to accept the bequest of \$100.00 from the heirs of the late Rodney Smith, the income to be used to care for the family lot in Pine Hill cemetery.
- ART. 12. To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen to contract with the Hillsborough Electric Light & Power Company to light the streets for a period not to exceed five years, and pass any vote relating thereto.
- ART. 13. To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money not to exceed one hundred and fifty dollars to pay for extra labor in the removal of rubbish and ashes by the town teams within the thickly settled part of the town, at stated periods, or pass any vote relating thereto.

- ART. 14. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding \$300.00 to help pay for a district nurse, and that a committee of three be appointed to help the article into effect.
- ART. 15. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-sixth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and sixteen.

CHARLES S. FLANDERS, FRED B. MONROE, EUGENE C. RUMRILL, Selectmen of Hillsborough.

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN.

To the Citizens of Hillsborough:

On account of the heavy rains of last summer the keeping of the highways in repair for the year has been unusually expensive. It has been necessary to work some stretches of road several times during the season. The railroad tax dropped from \$664.05, in 1914, to \$257.23, in 1915. The sum of \$230.00 was paid for a horse to replace one that died. As favorable conditions in the lines indicated as prevailed in 1914 would have made the financial standing of the town more favorable to the extent of \$2,200.00. The highway agent resigned last month. As the interval before the March meeting was so short, no appointment to fill the vacancy has been made. The selectmen have had charge of the highway department since February 10.

The following recommendations have been made by the town auditors:

"All persons who have been paid any money by the town, or paid anything to the town, for work done during the past year, are requested to carefully scrutinize the accounts and see that such transactions are properly reported.

"All persons who may in the future have work done by the teams of the town highway department are earnestly requested to pay bills for same with checks made payable to the Town of Hillsborough.

"In order to obtain better efficiency in the highway department, the auditors would suggest that the office of highway agent be made appointive, instead of elective, that the highway agent may be directly responsible to the board of selectmen."

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TOWN OF HILLS-BOROUGH.

From February 15, 1915, to February 15, 1916.

VALUATION OF THE TOWN, APRIL 1, 1915.

Horses, 358	\$42,334.00
Oxen, 18	1,470.00
Cows, 425	19,667.00
Neat stock, 229	6,730.00
Sheep, 103	515.00
Hogs, 2	50.00
Fowls	250.00
Carriages	17,350.00
Portable mills	1,100.00
Wood and lumber	31,700.00
Stock in banks	52,000.00
Money at interest	11,600.00
Stock in trade	100,050.00
Mills and machinery	176,750.00
Real estate	1,048,085.00
Total valuation of the town	\$1,509,651.00
Valuation of Village Precinct	\$1,045,138.00
Valuation outside of Precinct	\$464,513.00
Polls, 685.	

TAXES ASSESSED APRIL 1, 1915.

State tax	\$3,560.00
County tax	2,695.49
Street lights	2,150.00
Police expenses	800.00
Fuller Public Library	500.00
Town poor	200.00
Board of Health	100.00
Miscellaneous expenses	500.00
Highways, by law	3,774.12
Permanent highways	1,500.00
Sidewalks	600.00
Moth suppression	200.00
Schools, by law	3,337.50
Band concerts	200.00
Memorial Day	75.00
Maintenance state highway	1,400.00
Village Fire Precinct	1,700.00
Town School District	2,755.00
Special School District	3,710.00
Overlay	384.67

\$30,141.78

RATE OF TAXATION ON EACH \$100 VALUATION.

State, county, town, and schools	In the Precinct. \$1.20	Out of the Precinct. \$1.20
Highways, by law	.25	.25
Precinct	.17	
Special School District	.36	
Town School District		.60
	-	-
	\$1.98	\$2.05

DISBURSEMENTS.

Bills allowed by the Selectmen and paid by orders on the Town Treasurer.

STATE TAX.

STATE TAX.	
John W. Plummer, state treasurer	\$3,560.00
COUNTY TAX,	
Albert H. White, county treasurer	\$2,695.49
PRECINCT TAX,	
William H. Story, treasurer	\$1,700.00
SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT,	
Leon E. Annis, treasurer:	
Appropriation	\$2,310.57
Special appropriation	3,710.00
Literary fund	162.00
Dog licenses	193.29
Deering school tax	24.36
Proportion of school fund	828.00
	\$7,228.22
TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT.	
Fred J. Gibson, treasurer:	
Appropriation	\$1,026.93
Special appropriation	2,755.00
Literary fund	72.00
Dog licenses	85.91
Proportion of school fund	554.50

\$4,494.34

MEMORIAL DAY.

Senator Grimes Post, G. A. R	\$75.00
FULLER PUBLIC LIBRARY.	
George W. Haslet, treasurer	\$500.00
FOREST FIRE ACCOUNT.	
Paid labor and transportation	\$99.04
equipment	61.77
BAND CONCERTS.	\$160.81
Frank G. Rumrill	\$200.00
GYPSY AND BROWN-TAIL MOTH ACCOUNT,	
Paid labor and transportation	\$778.50
Charged to property owners	107.20
Cost to town	\$671.30
TRUST FUND NOTES.	
James M. Ray, interest on Abby Murdough	
note	\$4.50
notes	61.50
MAINTAINING WATERING TROUGHS.	\$66.00
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George M. Russell	\$3.00 2.00
Mark W. Buttrick	2.00
John Grinnell	2.00
	\$9.00

SIDEWALKS AND CROSSINGS.

W. J. Bryant, labor	Joseph Plummer, labor William E. Boynton, plank James W. Prichard, labor George Newman, labor E. C. Rumrill, plank	\$42.00 72.60 105.25 15.00 67.89
George Myers, team labor	W. J. Bryant, labor	11.00
John Barnes, labor		
W. E. Newman, pipe and cement 5.55 John McWilliams, labor 11.00 Francis Grimes, allowance on walk 39.90 Charles B. White, labor 44.50 Octave Drapo, labor 1.00 John H. Grimes, plank and stringers 86.14 Fred J. Gibson, nails 1.11 \$1,160.39 PERMANENT HIGHWAY ACCOUNT. Labor, team labor, and grade \$1,856.75 TOWN HISTORY. Frank E. Merrill, treasurer: Balance of appropriation \$445.53 REPAIRS OF HIGHWAYS. Fred J. Martin, agent \$7,089.34 REMOVING RUBBISH.		
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Labor, team labor, and grade		\$1,160.39
TOWN HISTORY. Frank E. Merrill, treasurer: Balance of appropriation		
Frank E. Merrill, treasurer: Balance of appropriation	PERMANENT HIGHWAY ACCOUNT.	
Balance of appropriation		\$1,856.75
REPAIRS OF HIGHWAYS. Fred J. Martin, agent	Labor, team labor, and grade	\$1,856.75
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TOWN POOR.

S. H. Baker, on account	\$105.39 25.00
	\$130.39
TOWN NOTES AND INTEREST PAID.	
Notes paid	\$9,950.00
Interest paid on notes	
	\$11,332.98
POLICE EXPENSES.	
Frank D. Paige, services as chief	\$730.00
Extra labor	8.21
Expense of keeping and taking prisoners to	
Grasmere	46.12
Food for tramps	22.99
Police supplies	21.12
Wood	33.75
Telephone	23.04
Auto hire	9.00
Cleaning station	3.50
Special police	64.25
	\$961.98
STREET LIGHTING.	
Hillsborough Electric Light & Power Company	\$2,165.50
HEDGEHOG BOUNTY.	
Cash paid	\$175.00
DAMAGE BY DOGS,	
George M. Dudley, damage to sheep	\$16.00

MAINTENANCE OF STATE HIGHWAY.

(Under supervision of State Highway Department, Frank W. Brown, Division Engineer.)

Boston & Maine Railroad, freight	\$536.20
H. P. Thayer, labor	2.00
H. W. Mathews, labor	3.00
Ford & Kimball, sewer grates	12.00
John H. Sleeper, labor	4.75
George H. Davis, labor	1.75
Carl A. White, labor	1.25
Henry Hoyt, labor	1.25
A. McWilliams, labor	1.00
W. McWilliams, labor	36.00
C. F. Ryley, labor	47.00
W. E. Ellinwood, wood	2.00
F. W. Bennett, team labor	18.00
A. J. Craige, team labor	54.00
E. T. Proctor, team labor	22.50
Harvey C. Chadwick, labor	75.70
William H. Murdo, labor	44.88
Andrew A. Gee, labor	49.00
George H. Cheney, labor	180.70
Harold S. Clement, labor	90.70
F. B. Monroe, labor	137.50
Horace J. Barnes, team labor	105.75
John B. Kemp, labor	162.00
Peter Bossie, labor	70.00
Veino & Pillsbury, cotton waste	1.50
E. C. Rumrill, bricks, lumber, and labor	22.17
F. E. Merrill, supplies	15.55
George H. Merrill, labor	45.00
John McWilliams, labor	110.00
W. D. Stevens, team labor	199.00
Fred Clough, labor	10.00
Frank B. Kimball, painting railings	11.50

B. H. Kemp, posts	\$3.00
J. H. White, Smith's bill	6.80
Buffalo Steam Roller Co., oil	3.85
Frank P. Martin, labor	3.00
H. E. Harvey, 97 loads gravel	9.70
N. E. Metal Culvert Co., 1 14x80 culvert	70.27
Conn. Valley Telephone Co., railing posts and	
tolls	5.81
Fred J. Gibson, supplies	17.23
W. E. Newman, supplies	16.64
F. E. Merrill, supplies	18.63
Hillsborough Woolen Mill Co., coal	46.81
C. A. Goodwin, services as patrolman, No. 16	158.50
-	\$2,433.89
BOARD OF HEALTH.	,
C. S. Perry & Co., supplies	\$5.00
Victor Mosley, supplies for H. J. Grimes case	16.35
John H. Grimes, supplies for H. J. Grimes case	10.20
Boynton & King, supplies for H. J. Grimes case	.90
H. G. Yeaton, supplies for H. J. Grimes case	5.41
Moxley Drug Store, supplies for H. J. Grimes	0.11
case	13.00
W. P. Grimes, services H. J. Grimes case	44.00
H. B. Currier, disinfecting H. J. Grimes case	6.85
J. N. Cross, labor for Board of Health	5.00
W. P. Grimes, services as Health Officer	25.00
Leon E. Annis, plumbing inspector	15.00
Leon E. Annis, services on Board of Health	3.06
	\$149.71
MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.	
George W. Haslet, town auditors	\$12.00
Charles S. Flanders, services after counting	φ12.00
day	14.00

Fred B. Monroe, services after counting day	\$25.00
Eugene C. Rumrill, services after counting day	16.00
Holman & Smith, legal advice	25.00
C. H. Boutelle, meals at March election	4.00
Jesse C. Parker, stamps	5.00
Flanders & Chadwick, town reports	145.80
Conn. Valley Telephone Co., tolls	1.84
George W. VanDommele, distributing inven-	
tory blanks	4.00
Herbert H. Eaton, supervisors	43.50
D. R. Bruce, distributing inventory blanks	12.00
George S. Hall, rent of opera house	35.00
Ira W. Jackman, over-tax	5.43
A. L. Mansfield, bond for treasurer	24.00
W. D. Driscoll, cleaning town office	2.00
N. Bosley Merryman, taxes in Maryland	1.34
L. Baker, taxes in South Dakota	6.53
D. R. Bruce, taking farm census	28.00
Charles S. Flanders, services as selectman, on	
account	75.00
Fred B. Monroe, services as selectman, on ac-	
count	100.00
Eugene C. Rumrill, services as selectman, on	•
account	75.00
Charles S. Flanders, eash paid for revenue	
stamps	5.00
A. J. Craige, labor on Fuller and Jones lots	10.00
S. H. Baker, rent to July 1	75.00
H. H. Eaton, testing weights and measures	10.76
George H. Merrill, labor in Center cemetery	6.00
S. W. Holman, salary, police justice	29.17
Holman & Smith, insurance	3.80
Joseph Plummer, labor in Center cemetery	6.00
Hobbs & Warren, dog license book	9.16
William H. Dennison, services as treasurer,	
on account	50 .00

Fred B. Monroe, services as selectman, on ac-	
count	\$50.00
Charles S. Flanders, team, taking inventory	10.00
George Myers, team labor at dump	18.00
John McWilliams, labor at dump	12.00
W. H. Smith, labor in Village cemetery	5.00
Amos A. Wyman, services on account	100.00
S. W. Holman, salary, police justice	25.00
Tripp & Tennant, 3 years' rent of dump lot	30.00
Amos A. Wyman, services on account	50.00
E. W. Proctor, teams, taking inventory	17.00
Eugene C. Rumrill, services as selectman, on	
account	100.00
Amos A. Wyman, services on account	50.00
S. H. Baker, rent to January 1, 1916	75.00
C. F. Butler, stationery, etc.	3.25
S. W. Holman, salary, police justice	25.00
F. W. Bennett, team labor	8.07
Rev. N. B. Cook, marriage returns	2.25
E. W. Proctor, team hire	19.50
W. L. Kelso, reporting vital statistics	5.75
Charles S. Flanders, balance for services and	
expenses as selectman	110.00
Fred B. Monroe, balance for services and ex-	
penses as selectman	112.00
Eugene C. Rumrill, balance for services and	
expenses as selectman	25.00
William H. Dennison, balance for services as	
treasurer	50.00
Flanders & Chadwick, printing	12.40
William H. Story, services as town clerk	65.00
William H. Story, recording vital statistics	26.75
S. H. Baker, services as moderator	5.00
W. P. Grimes, reporting vital statistics	7.00
Arthur Ellsworth, marking town corner	.75
George S. Bailey, reporting vital statistics	3.00

 C. B. Abbott, reporting vital statistics V. O. Kimball, services as dog constable Amos A. Wyman, balance for collecting taxes 	\$5.25 30.00 114.85
-	\$2,038.15
RECAPITULATION.	
State tax	\$3,560.00
County tax	2,695.49
Special School District	7,228.22
Town School District	4,494.34
Precinct tax	1,700.00
Memorial Day	75.00
Fuller Public Library	500.00
Repairs of highways	7,089.34
Forest fire account	160.81
Maintenance of state highway	2,433.89
Band concerts	200.00
Trust fund notes, interest paid	. 66.00
Maintaining watering troughs	9.00
Town notes and interest paid	11,332.98
Gypsy and brown-tail moth account	778.50
Sidewalks and crossings	1,160.39
Hedgehog bounty	175.00
Removing rubbish	154.00
Town history	445.53
Permanent highway account	1,856.75
Police expenses	961.98
Town poor	130.39
Street lighting	2,165.50
Board of Health	149.71
Miscellaneous bills	2,038.15
Damage by dogs	16.00
Abatement of taxes for 1912, 1913, and 1914	68.83
Abatement of taxes for 1915	65.84
	\$51,711.64

RECEIPTS.

Balance in treasury, February 15, 1915 Receipts as per treasurer's report	\$3,857.50 51,107.96
Total	\$54,965.46
DISBURSEMENTS.	
Order, No. 218, of last year	
Order, No. 245, not presented for payment	\$51,713.80 .75
Cash in treasury	\$51,713.05 3,252.41
	\$54,965.46

FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE TOWN.

February 15, 1916.

LIABILITIES.

Outstanding town notes	
Total	\$33,732.00
ASSETS.	
Cash in treasury	\$3,252.41
Taxes due Amos A. Wyman, collector	1,270.68
Three lots land in Watertown, S. D., assessed	,
value	950.00
One lot land in Baltimore, Md., assessed value	100.00
Buffalo-Pitts road roller	2,500.00
Due from state, hedgehog bounty	25.00
forest fire account	45.52
highway account	57.87
5 M bridge plank	110.00
Total	\$8,311.48
Town debt, February 15, 1916	\$25,420.52
Town debt, February 15, 1915	25,086.84
Increase of debt for the year	\$333.68
Trust fund notes \$8,283.98 Net town debt 25,420.52	
Actual town debt	\$33,704.50

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the selectmen and find them correct and all payments properly vouched for.

GEORGE W. HASLET, A. L. MANSFIELD, LEON E. ANNIS,

Auditors.

TAXES ABATED TO AMOS A. WYMAN, COLLECTOR, 1915.

Guy Ash, paid in Plymouth	\$2.00
W. Baker, left town	2.00
M. Chronowski, under age	2.00
Joseph Drapo, paid in Deering	2.00
Willis Gove, paid in Deering	2.00
Jan Kulickie, under age	2.00
W. Kulbackie, under age	2.00
Stany Laiko, under age	2.00
Ernest Melvin, paid in Bradford	2.00
S. Jowskie, abated	2.00
Joe Novarki, under age	2.00
Myron Presby, paid in Henniker	2.00
C. Smith, paid in Lebanon	2.00
Andrew J. Barney, abated	25.74
Chester W. Smith, abated	10.00
A. H. Dowlin, overtax	4.10

OUTSTANDING NOTES.

No.	325.	Sara Farrar	\$536.00
	357.	Hillsborough Bridge Fire Precinct	2,000.00
	422.	William H. Manahan	5,500.00
	423.	F. Gertrude Adams	300.00
	424.	Fannie H. Manahan	100.00
	425.	Josie E. Fuller	100.00
	426.	William H. Manahan, Jr	100.00
	428.	William H. Manahan	1,000.00
	429.	Mary Peterson	800.00
	430.	Isaac F. Wilkins	1,000.00
	431.	Katie Kelley	1,000.00
	432.	Katherine Hunter	500.00
	433.	Richard Clement	500.00
	434.	James M. Ray	200.00
	435.	William H. Roach	250.00
	436.	George H. Tuttle:	500.00
	437.	George H. Tuttle	1,000.00
	438.	Lizzie S. Tuttle	350.00
	439.	George H. Tuttle	200.00
	441.	James M. Ray	100.00
	442.	Paul J. Ray	200.00
	443.	Ella L. Danforth	200.00
	444.	Lorenz Frankenreiter	600.00
	445.	Mary A. Rutledge	300.00
	446.	Kimball & Roach	500.00
	448.	Noah F. Murdough	700.00
	449.	James M. Ray, trustee	500.00
	450.	Charles Kimball	1,000.00
	453.	Frank A. Buttrick	1,000.00
	454.	Mary A. Rutledge	100.00
	457.	Noah F. Murdough	300.00

No. 459.	Etta M. Lincoln	\$1,000.00
461.	Etta M. Lincoln	1,000.00
462.	William S. Loveren	200.00
463.	Elizabeth Clement	1,800.00
464.	S. W. Holman	1,500.00
466.	Sarah M. Story	100.00
467.	Richard Clement	500.00
469.	William H. Roach	300.00
470.	Charles Kimball	300.00
472.	William Temple	500.00
473.	Henry F. Burnham	500.00
474.	Addie M. Plummer	100.00
477.	Louisa F. Gould	500.00
481.	Charles Kimball	500.00
482.	Charles Kimball	1,000.00
483.	Josephine S. McNeil	500.00
485.	William H. Murdough	1,500.00
486.	Maribelle Curtis	450.00

\$33,686.00

TRUST FUNDS HELD BY THE TOWN.

BEQUEST.	Date Received.	Amount.
Mark W. Fuller,	1877	\$2,000.00
Sarah C. Fuller,	1884	1,000.00
Maria Travis,	Feb. 11, 1893	100.00
Sarah M. Taggart,	Mar. 25, 1897	100.00
Caroline M. Burnham,	Oct. 19, 1898	200.00
Catherine W. Bascomb,	May 10, 1899	100.00
Mary E. M. Smith,	Feb 11, 1901	50.00
Abney Simonds,	Nov. 4, 1899	2,633.98
Geo. C. Richardson,	Apr. 4, 1903	100.00
Abby C. Murdough,	May 1, 1883	100.00
Mrs. Wm. H. Gray,		100.00
James A. Tuttle,	June 27, 1907	200.00
Sarah A. Grimes,	Apr. 13, 1907	400.00
Charlotte Towne,	Apr., 1908	100.00
Daniel B. Smith,	May 2, 1910	500.00
Lucy A. Colby,	Mar. 17, 1911	200.00
Atwood & Harvey,	Mar. 20, 1912	100.00
Maria B. Hazen,	June 15, 1912	100.00
Henry C. Morrill,	Mar. 10, 1915	100.00
Mary A. Danforth,	,	100.00

\$8,283.98

CHARLES S. FLANDERS, FRED B. MONROE, EUGENE C. RUMRILL,

Selectmen of Hillsborough.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT.

DOG LICENSES.

Whole number of dog licenses issued, 112.	
Total amount of cash received for licenses.	\$262.50
Less clerk's fees	22.40
	\$240.10
Paid town treasurer	.\$240.10
BILLIARD, POOL, AND BOWLING ALLEYS.	
Total amount of cash received for billiard,	
pool tables, and bowling alleys	\$100.00
Less clerk's fees	10.00
_	\$90.00
Paid town treasurer	\$90.00

WILLIAM H. STORY,

Town Clerk.

February 15, 1916.

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR.

1912.	
Taxes uncollected, February 15, 1915 Abatements	\$2.25 2.25
1913.	
Taxes uncollected, February 15, 1915 Abatements	\$20.73
	\$20.73
1914.	
Taxes uncollected, February 15, 1915 Abatements	\$1,159.19
Interest collected, \$25.06.	\$1,159.19
1915.	
Total amount of taxes assessed	\$31,649.90
Collected and paid town treasurer \$30,313.38	\$31,649.90
Interest collected, \$19.25.	
AMOS A. WY	MAN,

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of A. A. Wyman, tax collector, and find the same to be correct.

GEORGE W. HASLET, A. L. MANSFIELD, LEON E. ANNIS,

Auditors.

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF THE POOR.

Town Aid.

Dr.

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Respectfully submitted,

S. H. BAKER,

Overseer of the Poor.

HILLSBOROUGH, N. H., February 10, 1916.

REPORT OF THE TOWN TREASURER.

Balance in treasury, February 15, 1915	\$3,857.50
Received of state treasurer, as follows:	
Insurance tax	2.25
Railroad tax	257.23
Savings-bank tax	4,887.42
Literary fund	234.00
School fund	1,379.50
Highway department maintenance	308.33
Forest fire protection	80.24
Bounty on hedgehogs	186.60
Excise commission fees	310.34
Received of selectmen:	
Borrowed money	10,600.00
Show licenses	126.00
For labor of town teams collected by them	17,75
For hay and barn rent for the Fred J. Martin	
horse, paid to the selectmen by L. F. Mar-	
tin for account of Fred J. Martin	41.00
Received of selectmen on account of labor of	
town teams collected by Fred J. Martin,	
agent	244.89
Received of Fred J. Martin, agent, labor of	
town teams removing rubbish to May 15,	
1915	74.00
Received of selectmen, the H. C. Morrill be-	
quest	100.00
Received of Annie M. Currier, executrix, be-	
quest for the care of the Mary A. Danforth	
lot	100.00
Received of William H. Story, town clerk:	
For dog licenses	240.10

Received of William H. Story, town clerk:	
For billiard and pool tables and bowling	
alleys	\$90.00
Received of S. W. Holman, police justice, fees	51.91
Received of selectmen:	
For labor of town teams	1.25
For overdraft in the account of the highway	
agent, Fred J. Martin, for the year ending	
February 15, 1916	105.49
Balance due from Fred J. Martin for labor	
of town teams collected by him, for the	
year ending February 15, 1916	67.21
Received from collector of taxes:	
Taxes, 1914 and 1915	31,423.47
Interest on 1914 taxes	25.06
Interest on 1915 taxes	19.25
Abatements for 1912, 1913, 1914, and 1915	134.67
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- -	\$54,965.46
Disbursements.	
DISBURSEMENTS.	
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Treasurer.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of W. H. Dennison, town treasurer, and find the same to be correct and all payments properly vouched for.

GEORGE W. HASLET, LEON E. ANNIS, ALFRED L. MANSFIELD,

Auditors.

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

STATEMENT OF EXPENSES.

February, 1915.

Electric Light Company	\$1.00
W. C. Dennison, grain	32.05
F. E. Merrill, supplies	7.58
J. H. White, smith's bill	2.25
Raymond Harrington, labor	48.00
Fred J. Martin, labor	62.50
George Davis, labor	1.00
Herman Murdo, labor	4.00
C. P. Colby, labor	3.75
Charles McNally, labor with team	10.00
George Morgan, labor with team	40.00
Frank Bennett, labor with team	5.00
W. J. Bryant, labor with team	5.00
Elton Proctor, labor with team	5.75
L. F. Martin, labor with team	5.50
J. G. Hoyt, labor with team	5.00
A. J. Craig, labor with team	5.00
W. D. Stevens, labor with team	10.00
Loyal Sturtevant, labor	1.25
James Wylt, labor	1.00
Henry Hoyt, labor	2.00
N. F. Murdo, breaking road	3.15
R. T. Abbott, breaking road	16.00
March, 1915.	
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Electric Light Company	\$1.00
W. C. Dennison, grain	34.65
J. H. White, smith's bill	8.45
F. E. Merrill, supplies	2.87

W. T. Russell, veterinary services and expenses Mark Murdo, labor Raymond Harrington, labor Fred J. Martin, labor Peter Bossie, labor Henry Hoyt, labor George Morgan, labor with team Boston & Maine Railroad, freight G. W. Lincoln, telephone Nichols & Stone, plank and stringers Walter Murdo, labor with team R. T. Abbott, labor O. A. Harrington, labor and lamps Carlton Eaton, clipping horses Joseph Plummer, labor Charles Kimball, hay	\$35.00 1.40 54.00 72.50 .75 1.00 57.00 .66 1.50 529.93 10.13 1.00 1.40 4.75 10.20 50.00 1.75
Frank Kimball, paint	1.10
April, 1915.	
Electric Light Company	\$1.00
W. C. Dennison, grain	31.05
F. E. Merrill, supplies	17.57
J. H. White, smith's bill	9.10
Raymond Harrington, labor	54.00
Peter Bossie, labor	52.00
Guy Strickland, labor	25.75
George Davis, labor	20.50
C. P. Colby, labor	2.25
Fred J. Martin, labor	67.50
Fred J. Martin, use of horse	15.00
Elberton E. Farrar, labor with team	4.00
John Bailey, hay	9.00
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight	8.59 2.02
George W. Lincoln, telephone	11.25
W. McWilliams, labor	4.50
John McWilliams, labor	6.75
Carl winte, labor	0.13

C. M. Worthley, labor	\$7.50
F. W. Bennett, labor with team	5.00
J. W. Bradshaw, supplies and repairs from	
November 9 to May 1	54.00
John L. Shedd, hay	60.33
Fred J. Gibson, supplies	8.55
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May, 1915.	
Electric Light Company	\$1.00
W. C. Dennison, grain	54.60
F. E. Merrill, supplies	14.74
J. H. White, smith's bill	14.50
Raymond Harrington, labor	52.00
Peter Bossie, labor	35.00
Sam Jackson, labor	2.00
Guy Strickland, labor	52.50
W. McWilliams, labor	55.00
John McWilliams, labor	15.50
Carl White, labor	34.40
Ernest Stinson, labor	21.00
George Davis, labor	29.75
Winfred Farrar, labor	43.50
Charles Smith, labor	42.75
C. M. Worthley, labor	10.00
C. M. Worthley, loading teams	24.00
Elton Proctor, labor with team	105.50
Guy Strickland, team labor	27.00
Fred J. Martin, labor	77.50
Fred J. Martin, use of horse	15.00
Charles Goodwin, labor	8.75
Elberton E. Farrar, labor	2.50
June, 1915.	
	44.00
Electric Light Company	\$1.00
W. C. Dennison, grain	46.50
F. E. Merrill, supplies	12.36

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J. H. White, smith's bill	\$15.80
F. J. Gibson, grain	1.45
Raymond Harrington, labor	52.00
Samuel Jackson, labor	52.00
Guy Strickland, labor	48.00
Winfred Farrar, labor	48.50
Charles Smith, labor	39.50
C. M. Worthley, labor	20.00
John McWilliams, labor	12.50
A. McWilliams, labor	8.00
George Davis, labor	17.00
Walter Murdo, labor	2.00
John Grinnell, labor	1.00
Chester Smith, labor	2.00
John Grinnell, boarding teams	4.00
Henry Sleeper, labor	4.00
D. O. Sleeper, 1 barrel lime	1.75
P. H. Dodge, hay	14.70
W. E. Gay, hay	36.00
F. D. Gay, hay-rack	30.00
F. D. Gay, road machine supplies	8.65
Kimball & Roach, pair rubber boots	3.00
Thomas Devoy, labor	2.25
Fred J. Martin, labor	75.00
Fred J. Martin, use of horse	15.00
Elton Proctor, labor with team	47.50
E. C. Rumrill, lumber	9.57
G. W. Lincoln, telephone	3.00
George Myers, labor	.50
Guy Strickland, use of horse	18.00
Emma Warne, bridge stringers	21.00
H. E. Ward, veterinary services	5.00
Jacob Varney, labor	2.00
W. McWilliams, labor	2.75
O. M. Lovering, sharpening drills	1.00
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July, 1915.

W. C. Dennison, grain	\$46.20
J. H. White, smith's bill	15.98
Victor Mosley, labor with team	6.00
John Grinnell, labor with team	13.75
Frank Bennett, labor with team	30.00
Raymond Harrington, labor	56.00
Sam Jackson, labor	55.00
Fred J. Martin, labor	70.00
Guy Strickland, labor	48.00
Winfred Farrar, labor	46.00
Charles Smith, labor	6.00
Fred J. Martin, extra expenses looking for	
horse	10.00
Harry Ward, veterinary services	4.50
C. S. Perry & Co., supplies	5.70
Fred J. Martin, use of horse	15.00
F. E. Merrill, supplies	21.00
R. T. Abbott, labor	15.00
W. McWilliams, labor	7.00
F. D. Gay, railings	13.35
F. D. Gay, plow beam	1.50
F. C. Brockway, use of horse	5.00
Joseph Cota, team labor	3.00
E. C. Rumrill, brick	3.00
Ernest Stinson, labor	8.00
N. F. Murdo, labor with team	26.25
Charles Kimball, hay	50.00
N. F. Murdo, drag plank	2.25
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August, 1915.	
W. C. Dennison, grain	\$40.28
J. H. White, smith's bill	28.00
F. E. Merrill, supplies	26.47
Raymond Harrington, labor	52.00
Sam Jackson, labor	52.00

Guy Strickland, labor	\$45.00
Winfred Farrar, labor	45.00
W. McWilliams, labor	36.00
John McWilliams, labor	2.00
Fred J. Martin, use of horse	15.00
Fred J. Martin, labor	70.00
Ernest Stinson, labor	22.00
William Clough, labor	15.50
F. W. Bennett, labor with team	60.00
William Boynton, labor with team	12.00
J. A. Butler, labor with team	14.70
Eben Jones, labor with team	4.00
Thomas Devoy, labor	9.70
A. McWilliams, labor	2.00
W. E. Gay, hay	52.65
George H. Tuttle, hay	101.05
A. H. Manworren, labor	10.00
Charles Smith, labor	3.50
Fred Carr, labor	1.00
Albert Burnham, labor with team	6.25
A. J. Craige, labor with team	39.00
W. D. Stevens, labor with team	2.25
F. D. Gay, supplies for road machine	5.00
H. M. Lewis, veterinary services	10.00
Harry Ward, veterinary services	6.00
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September, 1915.	
W. C. Dennison, grain	\$45.00
F. E. Merrill, supplies	4.26
F. J. Gibson, supplies	9.25
J. H. White, smith's bill	12.00
W. E. Newman, labor and supplies	96.56
Charles Kimball, hay	41.00
Raymond Harrington, labor	52.00
Sam Jackson, labor	52.00
Winfred Farrar, labor	41.50
William Fallar, 1abor	11.00

Elberton E. Farrar, labor	\$3.00
Guy Strickland, labor	47.50
Charles Smith, labor	33.50
Fred J. Martin, labor	65.00
Henry P. Thayer, labor	14.00
R. G. Proctor, team labor	2.00
W. McWilliams, labor	11.00
Guy Strickland, use of horse	11.50
W. E. Gay, railings	2.50
F. D. Gay, railings	6.25
William Clough, labor	2.00
George Dorr, labor	15.00
Harry Ward, veterinary services	2.50
G. W. Lincoln, telephone	4.60
O. A. Harrington, lamps	1.14
Charles Smith, bridge stringers	32.60
Charles Smith, railings	7.50
October, 1915.	
W. C. Dennison, grain	\$28.30
J. H. White, smith's bill	11.50
F. E. Merrill, supplies	12.79
F. J. Gibson, hay and grain	13.09
L. F. Wilson, boarding men and teams	15.00
A. J. Burnham, labor with team	23.75
C. Strickland, labor with team	5.00
E. Severance, labor with team	7.50
John Grinnell, labor	1.80
L. F. Martin, labor	4.00
Raymond Harrington, labor	52.00
Sam Jackson, labor	52.00
Guy Strickland, labor	49.45
Charles Smith, labor	4.50
Jacob Varney, labor	1.00
Fred J. Martin, labor	65.00
J. A. Butler, labor with team	76.85

C. Strickland, grade L. F. Martin, grade O. A. Harrington, lamps	\$11.10 18.90 1.14
W. C. Mumford, labor.	26.28
Holman & Smith, insurance	19.00
Troman & Smith, insurance	19.00
November, 1915.	
W. C. Dennison, grain	\$30.00
F. E. Merrill, supplies	35.99
J. H. White, smith's bill	9.15
Raymond Harrington, labor	52.00
Sam Jackson, labor	52.00
Guy Strickland, labor	22.00
Fred J. Martin, labor	66.00
Charles Smith, labor	2.00
George Dorr, labor	18.00
H. E. Harvey, grade	10.00
Thomas Wilson, grade	8.00
W. E. Gay, grade	3.80
Joseph Nelson, grade	1.40
G. M. Russell, grade	1.00
A. J. Craige, grade	9.00
F. D. Gay, grade	4.10
P. H. Dodge, grade	3.00
Mrs. Appleton, grade	10.90
H. C. Brown, grade	8.50
J. Scott Moore, grade	1.80
Mrs. Burbank, grade	15.00
E. C. Rumrill, brick	4.14
R. Childs, sewer grate and base	6.00
W. E. Newman, cement	1.00
W. E. Newman, weighing hay	.40
Fred Mess, hay	58.14
J. W. Bradshaw, supplies and repairs from May	
2 to November 6	43.30
C. S. Flanders, hay	51.00

Martin Davis, bedding	\$11.23 .25 2.00 1.80 1.00 28.89
December, 1915.	
W. C. Dennison, grain. J. H. White, smith's bill. C. S. Perry & Co., supplies. D. O. Sleeper, labor. Ford & Kimball, sewer grate and base. Homer Duhamel, painting guide-board. C. S. Flanders, labor. Charles Whitcomb, labor Raymond Harrington, labor Fred J. Martin, labor. Sam Jackson, labor Charles Brockway, labor Guy Strickland, labor	\$31.15 11.45 9.10 2.75 4.80 2.50 1.00 7.40 58.00 72.50 2.00 .25 2.00
January, 1916.	2,00
Electric Light Company W. C. Dennison, grain. J. H. White, smith's bill. N. F. Murdo, labor. W. E. Gay, labor. Raymond Harrington, labor Guy Strickland, labor John McWilliams, labor W. F. Bennett, housing rollers. E. C. Rumrill, repairing rollers.	\$7.00 29.10 7.70 7.95 10.00 54.00 3.00 5.00 10.00 8.08
Loyal Sturtevant, labor E. E. Hoyt, horse for town team	2.00 230.00

Good-Roads Machine						4000 14
and supplies						\$220.14
Fred J. Martin, labo	r		• • • •		• • • • •	67.50
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James Ellsworth,					teams	\$5.00
Lester Landon,	66	6.6	66	6.6	6.6	8.50
Charles Harvey,	6.6	66	66	6.6	66	5.00
Joe Gross,	6.6	-6.6	. 6 6	6.6	66	6.00
Charles Jones,	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.00
W. E. Gay,	4.6	6 6	66	66	66	9.00
George Van Dommel	le, ''	6.6	66	66,	66	1.00
Joe Soucey,	6.6	66	66	6.6	, 66	5.00
F. W. Bennett,	4.6	6.6	66	6.6	6.6	3.50
J. G. LeClerc,	4.6	4.6	66	6.6	6.6	2.00
J. S. Craine,	. 66	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	9.00
George Ashby,	66	"	"	6.6	6.6	9.50
Frank Colby,	66	6.6	"	. 6 6	6.6	9.50
Henry Derosier,	6 6	66	66	6.6	66	5.00
C. A. Fox,	66	6 6	66	66	6 6	3.75
Fred Abbott,	66	66	"	6.6	4.4	9.00
Will Boynton,	66	"	66	6.6	6.6	5.00
C. S. Perry & Co.,	66	6.6	66	66-	"	4.00
F. D. Gay,	. 66	"	66	6.6	4.6	16.00
W. F. Bennett,	6.6	66	66	66	66	3.00
Guy E. Strickland,	.66	44	66	6.6	66	7.50
W. P. Farrar,	"	66	66	4.6	6.6	5.00
C. S. Flanders,	4.6	66	"	6.6	66	15.50
Selectmen, for draw	ing ru	abbis	h			154.00
L. H. Huntoon,	for dy	nam	ite			5.60
R. T. Abbott,	66	66				3.00
J. Griffin,	66 -	. 66				3.50
Scott McAdams,	66	66				4.00
Charles Pease,	66	66				2.00

L. F. Martin, for	dre	essing.						\$15.00
Guy E. Stricklan	d, f	or hay	٠					18.00
Bert Brown,	for	labor	of	town	teams	 		3.25
Boston Fruit Co.					6.6			7.50
Town of Windsor,	, "	44	66	6.6	6 6			17.50
Clark S. Kimball	, "	44	66	6.6	"			9.50
Richard Clement,	, ((66			5.00
R. J. Babin,	4.4				66			3.25
H. R. Cross,	66	6.6	66	66	"			1.25

HILLSBOROUGH BRIDGE VILLAGE FIRE PRECINCT.

OFFICERS.

MODERATOR,

STILLMAN H. BAKER.

COMMISSIONERS,

FRANK E. MERRILL,

JOHN B. TASKER,

DANIEL W. COLE.

CLERK,

GEORGE E. VANDOMMELE.

TREASURER,

WILLIAM H. STORY.

CHIEF ENGINEER.

WILLIAM E. NEWMAN.

FIRST ASSISTANT ENGINEER,

EUGENE C. RUMRILL.

SECOND ASSISTANT ENGINEER,

WILLIAM F. BENNETT.

WATER COMMISSIONERS,

CHARLES A. JONES, WILLIAM O. STORY, CHARLES F. BUTLER, STILLMAN H. BAKER, ALFRED L. MANSFIELD.

AUDITORS,

LEON E. ANNIS,

RALPH G. SMITH,

FRANK M. PARKER.

PRECINCT WARRANT.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the Inhabitants of the Hillsborough Bridge Village
Fire Precinct in the Town of Hillsborough qualified
to vote in Precinct Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in Precinct Hall in said Precinct on Monday, the twentieth day of March, 1916, at seven of the clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

- 1. To choose a moderator for the ensuing year.
- 2. To choose one or more water commissioners to serve five years.
- 3. To choose one fire commissioner to serve three years.
- 4. To choose treasurer, clerk, auditors, and other necessary Precinct officers for the ensuing year.
- 5. To hear the reports of the fire commissioners, water commissioners, treasurer, clerk, auditors, and other officers and committees heretofore chosen, and to pass any vote relating thereto.
- 6. To see if the Precinct will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of four hundred dollars (\$400) necessary to run the sprinkling cart for a period of twenty weeks or more.
- 7. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for paying the current expenses of the Precinct, the debt of the Precinct, and any other charges arising within said Precinct.
- 8. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-sixth day of February, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and sixteen.

JOHN B. TASKER, FRANK E. MERRILL, DANIEL W. COLE, Board of Fire Commissioners.

REPORT OF THE FIRE COMMISSIONERS.

(For the year ending February 15, 1916.)

The Board of Fire Commissioners submits the following report:

There have been four bell alarms, twenty-nine still alarms, and one bush fire the past year, with a loss of \$2,989.45. Insurance paid, \$2,667.45; loss not covered by insurance, \$322.00.

The fire alarm system has been very much improved by building the new line.

The fire equipment is in first-class shape.

It was necessary to relay about two hundred and seventy-five feet of sewer pipe on account of filling up by roots.

The street sprinkling was well attended to, and we recommend its continuance.

JOHN B. TASKER, FRANK E. MERRILL, DANIEL W. COLE, Board of Fire Commissioners.

GENERAL ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, February 15, 1915	\$508.43
Received from selectmen:	
Sprinkler appropriation	400.00
Current expenses	300.00

Received from commissioners: Account, police duty of firemen
rental
Total \$2,219.43
EXPENDITURES.
Dille annuared by commissioners and raid by
Bills approved by commissioners and paid by orders on Precinct treasurer:
O. A. Harrington, labor and supplies \$10.14
E. C. Rumrill, labor and supplies on Precinct
room
L. E. Annis, auditing accounts 3.00
F. W. Bennett, wood
W. E. Newman, labor and cash paid 16.10
Hillsborough Electric Light & Power Co.,
lights at fire station
H. S. Curtis, janitor work, and helper 8.40
F. E. Merrill, supplies
G. W. Lincoln, care of fire alarm for year 50.00
D. Whiting & Sons, coal
Globe Manufacturing Co., fire hose 80.00
W. E. Newman, labor and supplies 5.47
W. E. Newman, labor and supplies, Church
Street sewer
W. D. Stevens, account sprinkling contract 100.00
W. E. Newman, labor and team 28.80
A. L. Mansfield, treasurer's bond 60.00
J. H. Grimes, oak cross-arms 5.00
L. E. Annis, three window screens 3.55
W. E. Newman, labor on sewers 59.50
W. F. Bennett, storing sprinkler
O. A. Harrington, labor on wires
F. E. Merrill, sewer pipe

F. E. Merrill, supplies	\$22.03
F. W. Bennett, wood	3.25
L. E. Annis, labor	1.56
W. D. Stevens, balance on sprinkling con-	
tract	300.00
W. E. Newman, labor and supplies	7.85
J. H. White, labor on water cart	2.50
Gamewell Fire Alarm & Telephone Co.,	
spring for bell	1.08
W. E. Newman, services as chief engineer	25.00
E. C. Rumrill, services as first assistant en-	
gineer	10.00
W. F. Bennett, services as second assistant	
engineer	10.00
G. E. VanDommele, services as clerk of Pre-	
cinct	10.00
G. E. VanDommele, pay-roll, Hook & Lad-	
der Co	174.60
H. A. Hoyt, clerk, pay-roll, Eagle Hose Co	153.79
W. H. Story, services as treasurer, and ex-	
pense	36.00
Richard Morgan, janitor and extra watching	27.38
D. W. Cole, clerk, salaries of commissioners,	
and expense	90.96
F. E. Merrill, supplies	11.61
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Total orders paid	
Balance on hand, February 15, 1916	486.37
Total	\$2,219.43
WATER ACCOUNT.	
RECEIPTS.	
Balance on hand, February 15, 1915	\$171.86
Received from selectmen, hydrant rental	1,000.00

Received from water commissioners:	
Water rents	\$5,617.22
Old supplies sold	10.96
Received from First National Bank, temporary	
loan	300.00
Received from Emma Felt, No. 47 note, reissue,	
Bridge Street loan	1,000.00
Received from Fred Abbott, No. 52 note, re-	
issue, Depot Street loan	500.00
Received from sale of bonds	5,911.55
2 4% Wellesley bonds, March, 1925.	
2 3½% Newburyport bonds, Dec., 1923.	
1 4% Boston bond, Oct., 1917.	
Received interest from sinking fund	1,566.37
Withdrawn from savings bank for re-invest-	
ment in sinking fund	500.00
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Total receipts	\$16,577.96
EXPENDITURES,	
Orders drawn on Precinct treasurer as follows:	
Orders drawn on Precinct treasurer as follows: W. O. Story, services as clerk and superin-	\$100.00
Orders drawn on Precinct treasurer as follows: W. O. Story, services as clerk and superintendent	\$100.00 8.50
Orders drawn on Precinct treasurer as follows: W. O. Story, services as clerk and superintendent C. B. Gardner, printing water bills	8.50
Orders drawn on Precinct treasurer as follows: W. O. Story, services as clerk and superintendent C. B. Gardner, printing water bills H. F. Gould, reporting reservoir	8.50 19.75
Orders drawn on Precinct treasurer as follows: W. O. Story, services as clerk and superintendent	8.50 19.75 5.00
Orders drawn on Precinct treasurer as follows: W. O. Story, services as clerk and superintendent C. B. Gardner, printing water bills H. F. Gould, reporting reservoir Holman & Smith, collector's bond F. M. Parker, water rent rebate	8.50 19.75 5.00 16.20
Orders drawn on Precinct treasurer as follows: W. O. Story, services as clerk and superintendent C. B. Gardner, printing water bills H. F. Gould, reporting reservoir Holman & Smith, collector's bond F. M. Parker, water rent rebate B. E. Newman, labor	8.50 19.75 5.00
Orders drawn on Precinct treasurer as follows: W. O. Story, services as clerk and superintendent C. B. Gardner, printing water bills H. F. Gould, reporting reservoir Holman & Smith, collector's bond F. M. Parker, water rent rebate B. E. Newman, labor Charles Brockway, collecting water rents	8.50 19.75 5.00 16.20 25.00
Orders drawn on Precinct treasurer as follows: W. O. Story, services as clerk and superintendent C. B. Gardner, printing water bills H. F. Gould, reporting reservoir Holman & Smith, collector's bond F. M. Parker, water rent rebate B. E. Newman, labor	8.50 19.75 5.00 16.20 25.00
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Orders drawn on Precinct treasurer as follows: W. O. Story, services as clerk and superintendent C. B. Gardner, printing water bills H. F. Gould, reporting reservoir Holman & Smith, collector's bond F. M. Parker, water rent rebate B. E. Newman, labor Charles Brockway, collecting water rents Holman & Smith, attorneys, estate Bridget Sullivan A. M. Sullivan, administratrix, note and interest C. B. Gardner, letterheads	8.50 19.75 5.00 16.20 25.00 28.43 520.00
Orders drawn on Precinct treasurer as follows: W. O. Story, services as clerk and superintendent C. B. Gardner, printing water bills H. F. Gould, reporting reservoir Holman & Smith, collector's bond F. M. Parker, water rent rebate B. E. Newman, labor Charles Brockway, collecting water rents Holman & Smith, attorneys, estate Bridget Sullivan A. M. Sullivan, administratrix, note and interest	8.50 19.75 5.00 16.20 25.00 28.43 520.00 100.00 3.50

B. E. Newman, labor and cash paid	\$30.75
Walworth Manufacturing Co., hydrant boxes	17.66
A. L. Mansfield, cash, note and interest	301.20
H. F. Gould, reporting reservoir	18.75
B. E. Newman, labor and cash paid	16.79
H. Mueller Manufacturing Co., supplies	1.96
H. Mueller Manufacturing Co., supplies	1.75
W. E. Newman, supplies	17.33
B. E. Newman, labor and cash paid	33.15
Manchester Supply Co., supplies	36.60
Charles Brockway, collecting water rents	29.35
W. E. Newman, supplies	1.48
Sanitas Manufacturing Co., supplies	2.75
B. E. Newman, labor and teams	27.20
J. A. Towle, notes and interest paid, No. 47	
and No. 52 reissued	1,515.00
A. L. Mansfield, cash, interest on bonds	900.00
Interest paid on outstanding notes	1,146.00
B. E. Newman, labor and cash paid	27.65
Holman & Smith, collector's bond	5.00
C. B. Gardner, printing water bills	8.50
B. E. Newman, labor and eash paid	43.90
Total orders paid	\$5,810.70
Transferred from water account to general	
account, hydrant rental	1,000.00
fund	1,500.00
Deposited in savings bank as part of sinking	
fund: Proceeds from sale of bonds	5,911.55
Interest on notes and bonds	1,566.37
Motel amount noil	ф15 700 CO
Total amount paid	789.34
Balance on hand, February 15, 1916	109.04
Total	\$16,577.96

RECAPITULATION.

(For the year ending February 15, 1916.)

RECEIPTS.

General account \$2,219.43 Water account 16,577.96	
Total receipts	\$18,797.39
EXPENDITURES.	
General account \$1,733.06 Water account 15,788.62	
Total expenditures	\$17,521.68
Total balance	\$1,275.71
FINANCIAL STANDING OF PRECINCT.	
Liabilities.	
Water bonds, 4's, coupon, due January 1, 1917	\$74,650.00
ASSETS.	
Balance in treasury, February 15, 1916	\$45,359.44
Net debt, February 15, 1916 Net debt, February 15, 1915 Decrease in net debt	\$29,290.56 32,863.90 3,573.34

UNAVAILABLE ASSETS.

Water system	\$71,927.94
Precinct building and lot	5,000.00
Fire apparatus	1,900.00
Total	\$78,827.94

JOHN B. TASKER, FRANK E. MERRILL, DANIEL W. COLE,

Fire Commissioners.

PRECINCT TREASURER'S REPORT.

GENERAL ACCOUNT.

Cr.

Balance of eash from last year	\$508.43
Selectmen, appropriation	700.00
Water account, hydrant rental transferred	1,000.00
Fire commissioners, firemen on police duty	11.00
	\$2,219.43
Cr.	
Have paid out on orders	\$1,733.06
Cash balance on hand	486.37
	\$2,219.43
WATER DEPARTMENT.	
Cr.	
Balance of cash from last year	\$171.86
Fire commissioners, account of loans Fire commissioners, account bonds sold with	1,800.00
accrued interest	5,911.55
Selectmen of town, for hydrant rental	1,000.00
W. O. Story, commissioner, account water	
rates	5,617.22

W. O. Story, commissioner, sale of supplies, etc. Interest from sinking fund. Savings bank, for re-investment in sinking fund. Total.	\$10.96 1,566.37 500.00 \$16,577.96
Dr.	,
Transferred hydrant rental to general account Deposited sinking fund interest in savings	\$1,000.00
bank	1,566.37
Transferred to sinking fund	1,500.00
of sinking fund	3,000.00
part of sinking fund	2,911.55
Have paid out on orders	5,810.70
Cash balance on hand	789.34
Total	\$16,577.96
PRECINCT SINKING FUND INVESTMENTS	5.
2 4% Town of Athol bonds, Nos. 76 and 77,	
August 1, 1917	\$2,000.00
March 1, 1935	2,000.00
cinet bonds, Nos. 30 and 31, January 1, 1917	2,000.00
2 4½% City of New York bonds, Nos. 86 and 91, 1917	3,000.00
2 4% City of Chicago bonds, Nos. 719 and 722, July 1, 1917	2,000.00
1 3% Town of Hillsborough note, No. 357, de-	
mand	2,000.00

1 3½% City of New York bond, No. 3827, Oc-	
tober 1, 1916	\$1,000.00
1 4% Town of Brattleboro, Vt., bond, No. 31,	
January 1, 1917	1,000.00
1 4% City of Chicago bond, No. 1155, January	
1, 1917	1,000.00
1 4½% City of Milwaukee bond, No. 3739,	
January 1, 1917	1,000.00
1 4½% St. Paul, No. 5725, May 2, 1917	1,000.00
1 4% City of Haverhill bond, No. 28, April 1,	
1916	1,000.00
1 4% City of Somersworth bond, No. 40, Oc-	
tober 1, 1916	1,000.00
1 4% City of Somersworth bond, No. 52, Oc-	
tober 1, 1916	1,000.00
1 4% Town of Whitman bond, No. 94, Septem-	
ber 1, 1916	1,000.00
1 4% Town of Whitman bond, No. 95, Septem-	
ber 1, 1916	1,000.00
1 4% Town of Whitman (Mass.), No. 61, Sep-	
tember 1, 1916	1,000.00
1 4% City of Malden (Mass.), No. 300, July,	
1916	1,000.00
1 4% Hillsborough Bridge Village Fire Pre-	
cinct, No. 15, January 1, 1917	1,000.00
4 6% City of Steubenville (Ohio) bonds, Nos.	
5, 6, 7, and 8, September 1, 1916, for \$500	
each	2,000.00
3 4½% City of Cleveland (Ohio) bonds, Nos.	
69313, 69314 and 69315, October 1, 1916,	
for \$1,000 each	3,000.00
1 5% City of Cleveland (Ohio) bond, No.	
64085, November 1, 1916	1,000.00
1 Hillsborough Bridge Village Precinct Note,	
No. 100, 4% demand, July 2, 1915	500.00

Deposit in Hillsborough Guaranty Savings	
Bank	\$5,672.18
Deposit in Amoskeag Savings Bank	3,000.00
Deposit in New Hampshire Savings Bank	2,911.55
	¢44 002 72

\$44,083.73

February 15, 1916.

W. H. STORY,

Treasurer.

HILLSBOROUGH, N. H., February 25, 1916.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the fire commissioners, water commissioners, and treasurer of Hillsborough Bridge Village Fire Precinct for the year ending February 15, 1916, and find them correct and all payments properly vouched for.

LEON E. ANNIS, FRANK M. PARKER, RALPH G. SMITH,

Auditors.

WATER DEPARTMENT.

BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS.

Charles A. JonesTerm	expires	1920
WILLIAM O. STORYTerm	expires	1919
STILLMAN H. BAKERTerm	expires	1918
ALFRED L. MANSFIELDTerm	expires	1917
CHARLES F. BUTLERTerm	expires	1916

At a meeting of the Board of Water Commissioners held April 5, 1915, the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year:

CHAIRMAN OF BOARD,

CHARLES A. JONES.

CLERK OF THE BOARD AND SUPERINTENDENT OF WATER-WORKS,
WILLIAM O. STORY.

The water commissioners respectfully submit their nineteenth annual report, which follows:

military and the state of the s	
Received for water rates	
Total	\$5,628.18
Paid to precinct treasurer	\$5,628.18
MAINTENANCE.	
Expense Care and repair: Labor . \$234.15 Supply . 43.23	\$189.83 277.38
Interest on notes	1,182.20
Total	\$3,449.41
INCOME.	
Receipts for water rates	
* Water rates, precinct use	\$5,601.02 1,000.00 1,136.30
Receipts from all sources affecting income account Deduct maintenance	\$7,737.3 2 3,449.41
Net income from all sources for year ending February 15, 1916	\$4,287.91

^{*} Amount of hydrant rental, raised by taxation, turned into the water department and transferred by this department to the general account of the precinct.

† Interest on that proportion of the sinking fund created from the waterworks surplus earnings.

BALANCE SHEET.

Resources.	Feb. 15, 1916.		Increase.
Original purchase			
Extensions	4,972.24	4,923.72	\$48.52
Service connections	580.04	575.48	4.56
* Excess renewal	21,215.66	21,215.66	
Building account	160.00	,	
Sinking fund	44,083.73	41,105.81	2,977.92
†Precinct special	15,743.00	14,743.00	1,000.00
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Supplies on hand	1,333.28	1,352.23	18.953
Cash in treasury	789.34	171.86	617.48
:	\$133,877.29	\$129,247.76	
	LIABILITIES.		
Coupon bonds	\$45,000.00	\$45,000.00	
Water loan	24,650.00	24,650.00	
		*	
§Precinct tax-levy	6,850.00	6,850.00	
Sinking fund earnings			
tax-levy	3,847.40	3,505.78	\$341.62
Bills payable	5,000.00	5,000.00	
Profit and loss surplus			
(earnings from Feb.			
15, 1897, to Feb. 15,			
1916)	48,529.89	44,241.98	4,287.91
1010)	40,040.00	11,211.30	4,201.31

\$133,877.29 \$129,247.76

^{||} Balance of interest on that proportion of the sinking fund raised by taxation, but not included in income account, not being an earning of the waterworks.

January 1,	1916,	sinking	fund	should	amount	to	\$43,689.73
January 1,	1916,	sinking	fund	on han	d		44,083.73

^{*} Difference between cost of old cement-lined and new iron pipe (laid) used in reconstructing the water-works.

[†] Loaned precinct or transferred from water to general account of the precinct.

[‡] Decrease.

[§] Amount raised by taxation for use of the water department.

COST OF WATER-WORKS

CONSTRUCTION ACCOUNT.

Original cost	\$45,000.00
Extensions	4,972.24
Service connections	580.04
Excess renewal	21,215.66
Building account	160.00
	•
Total cost of water-works to February 15,	
1916	¢71 997 94

Total number of hydrants, 44.

Total number of service connections, 422.

During the past season 130 feet of 2-inch galvanized iron pipe was laid on High Street, at a cost of \$48.52, which has been charged to "extensions," and made a part of the cost of the water-works.

(Signed)

CHAS. A. JONES, CHARLES F. BUTLER, WILLIAM O. STORY, STILLMAN H. BAKER, ALFRED L. MANSFIELD,

Board of Water Commissioners.

HILLSBOROUGH, N. H., February 15, 1916.

REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMITTEE

(For year ending F	ebruary 15, 1916.)
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Cash on hand, February 15, 19 Received from selectmen				\$10 4 .05 61.50
Paid care and expense, as per	schedu	ıle,		\$165.55 60.00
Balance on hand, Februar	ry 15, 1	916		\$105.55
	On hand Febru- ary 15, 1915.	Income received.	Paid care and ex- pense.	On hand Febru- ary 15, 1916.
Charlotte Town lot. Daniel Smith lot Baldwin lot Sarah M. Taggart lot. Catherine W. Bascome lot George C. Richardson lot A. C. Burnham lot Mary E. M. Smith lot. William H. Gray lot. Lucy A. Colby lot James S. Allen lot Edgar Hazen lot. James M. Tuttle lot Henry C. Morrill lot	\$2.40 14.85 11.05 13.30 11.30 5.80 19.75 .65 6.05 3.10 1.00 2.00 12.80	\$3.00 15.00 3.00 3.00 3.00 6.00 6.00 6.00 3.00 6.00 3.00 6.00 3.00 6.00	\$2.20 10.40 3.70 4.20 5.20 2.70 6.40 1.70 4.20 6.40 2.50 5.40 2.00	\$3.20 19.45 10.35 12.10 9.10 6.10 19.35 45 4.85 2.70 1.00 2.50 13.40 1.00

GEORGE W. HASLET, LEON E. ANNIS,

Committee on Cemeteries.

REPORT OF FULLER PUBLIC LIBRARY.

(For year ending February 15, 1916.)

Volumes in library February	15, 1915	5,918
Worn out and rejected		90

5.828

New	books	purchased	 	132
Gifts			 	69

Volumes in library February 15, 1916..... 6,029

Circulation for the year:

Fiction	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
	16,976

TREASURER'S ACCOUNT.

DR.

Cash on hand February 15, 1915	\$52.46 500.00
Received from fines, etc	19.00
	\$571.46

CR.

Paid for new books	\$128.76
supplies	12.81
fuel	8.00
re-binding	35.30
freight and express	3.70
printing	3.35
lighting	10.94
insurance	57.00
rent	96.00
librarian, services	200.00
Balance cash on hand, February 15, 1916	15.60
	\$571.46
Stephenson fund in Hillsborough Guaranty	
Savings Bank	\$1,291.62
Debanek Clark Library from I in Hillshomersch	
Deborah Club Library fund in Hillsborough	¢9.094.99
Guaranty Savings Bank	\$2,934.88

GEORGE W. HASLET, LEON S. HILL, CHARLES S. FLANDERS, FRED B. MONROE, EUGENE C. RUMRILL,

Trustees.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT OF HILLSBOROUGH, N. H.

(For the fiscal year ending February 15, 1916, and the school year ending July 15, 1915.)

OFFICERS.

MODERATOR, FRANK L. WHITE.

CLERK,

DANA R. BRUCE.

TREASURER,
FRED J. GIBSON.

SCHOOL BOARD,

DEBORAH M. BROWN,

ELBERTON E. FARRAR,

FRANK L. WHITE.

AUDITORS,

LEONARD MARTIN,

THOMAS DEVOY

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS, FREDERICK L. KENDALL.

TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT WARRANT.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the Inhabitants of the Town School District of the Town of Hillsborough, qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the school house at the Lower Village, in said district, on the sixteenth day of March, 1916, at two o'clock in the afternoon to act on the following subjects:

- 1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.
- 2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
- 3. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing year.
- 4. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
 - 5. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
- 6. To hear the reports of agents, auditors and committees or officers heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.
- 7. To choose agents, auditors and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
- 8. To determine the salaries of School Board, Truant Officer, Treasurer, or any other officers.
- 9. To see if the district will vote to raise any money in addition to that required by law for school purposes and repair of school houses, and if so how much.
- 10. To see if the district will vote to instruct the school board to borrow the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500) in anticipation of taxes, to pay current expenses.
- 11. To see if the district will authorize the school board to employ a special teacher of Music.
- 12. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Hillsborough this twentythird day of February, nineteen hundred and sixteen.

DEBORAH M. BROWN, ELBERTON E. FARRAR, FRANK L. WHITE,

School Board.

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD.

To the Inhabitants of Hillsborough:

The school board of the Town School District respectfully submits its annual report, with that of the treasurer and superintendent of schools.

The district maintained seven schools during the spring term, eight during the fall, and seven again in the winter. All of these schools, with faithful and conscientious teachers have done good work.

During the summer vacation the floors in all of the school-rooms, that were in use as schools, were painted; the walls, where necessary, were tinted a light green, and all of the ceilings were whitened. Some of the out-buildings were also painted inside.

The state law requires the school board to state in detail, in their annual report, the sums of money needed for the ensuing fiscal year for text-books and supplies, flags and appurtenances, and high school tuitions. In accordance with this requirement we will state that the district will need for the year 1916—17 the following sums:

For text-books and supplies	\$75.00
For flags and appurtenances	10.00
For high school tuitions	500.00

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

Members of the School Board:

I respectfully submit the following report concerning the schools of the Hillsborough Town District for the school year ending February 15, 1916.

As Miss Edythe M. Crooker did not wish to teach during the spring term on account of home necessities. Miss Ruth A. Peasley was transferred to the Upper Village school from the Concord End school, which has been closed ever since for lack of pupils. At the Merrill school, Miss Doris N. Rumrill succeeded Miss Julia A. Rice, who also felt the pressure of home duties. Beginning with the fall term, Mr. Bernard E. Annis took charge of the Flat school as a substitute. Miss Ruth A. Peasley succeeded Mr. Leon D. Davis at the Center school, Miss Edythe M. Crooker returned to the Upper Village school, Miss Gertrude Janowsky was transferred to the Merrill school, succeeding Miss Rumrill who is attending the Keene Normal School. Miss Doris H. Miller accepted an offer to teach the Bear Hill school, and Miss Bernice A. Werden taught the Danforth school, which was opened for the fall term; and later, the Conn school, until that was closed at Christmas time on account of the small number of pupils.

The enrollment in September was unusually large, the pupils being distributed by schools and grades as indicated by the table given below. An examination of these figures shows that a large proportion of the pupils are in the lower grades. This fact, in turn, leads to the thought that the number of scholars is likely to increase rather than to decrease for a few years unless some of the larger

families should move out of the school district.

In my last report, I made a brief reference to the pupils who are attending high school. The records show that fifteen persons from the town district have been graduated from the Hillsborough High School during the past four years. The records also show that the average 'age at entrance of these graduates and of those now in high school who may fairly be said to have received their preparation in the schools of the town district to be thirteen vears and ten months. As the average September age of the freshman pupils for the four years beginning with 1011. was fourteen years and eight months, the inference would be that as far as the fundamentals of education are concerned, the pupil is fully as well off in a rural school as in a village school. Furthermore, the records of these pupils in high school compare favorably with those of pupils from larger schools. At this point, I am moved to state my belief that high school success depends not only upon previous preparation, but also to a large extent upon native ability, earnestness of purpose, and a certain maturity of mind.

As an aid in the work, I have purchased a plan book for each teacher which is spaced in such a manner as to provide a place to put down the work for each day for days in advance. I have also furnished each teacher with a list of various occupations that may be assigned for busy work, and also with a list of selections to be memorized.

It is an item of satisfaction to be able to say that the money appropriated at the last school meeting made it possible to have a total of thirty weeks for the school year ending last June, and twenty-one weeks since. A spring term of eleven weeks will give us a school year thirty-two weeks in length, which is as short a year as we ought to

figure on in order to meet all state requirements with a safe margin.

FREDERICK L. KENDALL, Superintendent of Schools.

SCHOOLS	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	Totals
Flat	. I	4	I	2	I	2	I	, 0	12
Lower Village	2	3	0	4	1	2	I	4	17
Upper Village	I	4	3	2	2	2	I	0	15
Danforth	3	Ō	1	2	·I	0	I	0	8
Goodel1	4	I	5	0	0	0	0	1	II
Center	I	2	3	2	4	I	I	I	15
Merrill	2	2	4	5	o	0	. 1	0	14
Bear Hill	0	0	1	3	0	О	0	- 0	4
Totals	14	16	18	20	9	7	6	6	96

Teachers For The Fall And Winter Terms.

Name	School	Education
Bernard E. Annis	Flat	Hillsborough High
*Grace M. Crane	Lower Village	Newport High
*Edythe M. Crooker	Upper Village	Dewey Training
Alice L. Shirland	Goodel1	Washington Schools
Ruth A. Peasley	Center	Washington Schools
Gertrude Janowsky	Merrill	Hillsborough High
Doris H. Miller	Bear Hill	Hillsborough High
Bernice A. Werden	Danforth, Con	n Hillsborough High
*State Certificate.		

PERFECT ATTENDANCE.

(For the year ending July 15, 1915.)

FIRST TERM.

Lester H. Farrar, Ralph E. Farrar, Selwin A. Davis, Clifton H. Smith, Hester Smith, Nathan R. Smith, Ida M. Gould, Eugene W. Gould, Judson W. Gould, Harold J. Cross, Harold F. Presby, Dorothy M. Merrill, Warren Treadwell, Ralph Treadwell, Fred Matthews, Merton Matthews.

SECOND TERM.

Elbert R. Farrar, Lester H. Farrar, Ralph E. Farrar, Sherman E. Farrar, Linley H. Gammell, Alice M. Gammell, Evelyn Gammell, Selwyn Davis, Leroy Goodrich, Flora Smith, Clifton Smith, Hester Smith, Nathan Smith, Pearl A. Ray, Milton D. Ray, Eugene W. Gould, Ida M. Gould, Judson W. Gould, Doris Phelps, Ralph Treadwell, Woodbury Adams, James McClintock, Roger McClintock, Fred Matthews, Merton Matthews, Diana Gagnon, Dorothy Hudson, Maurice D. French, H. David Hills, Harold J. Pope, Katheryn M. French, Dora E. Valcourt.

THIRD TERM.

Elbert R. Farrar, Ralph E. Farrar, Sherman E. Farrar, Evelyn G. Gammell, Leroy Goodrich, Hester Smith, Clifton, Smith, Nathan Smith, Dorothy M. Merrill, Charlotte Colburn, Eunice Colburn, Elizabeth Grimes, Harold Grimes, Robert Card, Fred Matthews, Dora E. Valcourt, Harold J. Pope.

FOR THE YEAR.

Ralph E. Farrrr, Clifton Smith, Hester Smith, Nathan Smith, Fred Matthews.

(Town Pupils Attending School in Special District.) HIGH SCHOOL.

William K. Devoy, Flora M. Davis, Selwyn Davis, Ruth M. Gibson, Vera E. Matthews, Ida P. Phelps, Helen E. Werden, Doris I. Harvey, Ralph Farrar, Charles Russell, Fannie Proctor.

GRADES VII & VIII.

Herbert L. Burbank, Donald Burbank, Frances Phelps*, Ruth Brown*.

GRADE VI.

Doris Proctor*.

GRADE V.

Philip Burbank.

GRADE IV.

Mark Russell.,

GRADE III.

Esther Burbank.

*Tuition paid by parent,

REPORT OF TREASURER OF TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT.

For the Year Ending Feb. 15, 1916.

REPORT OF FORMER TREASURER.		
Balance on hand February 15, 1915	\$76	92
March 3, 1915, received from town of Antrim tui-		
tion for Treadwell children	19	20
——————————————————————————————————————	\$96	12
ORDERS PAID BY RETIRING TREASURER.		
Jan. 15, 1915, A. J. Craige, kindling, U. V. school,	\$ I	50
Feb. 5, 1915, Elberton E. Farrar, postage from		
March 30, '14, to Feb. 5, '15,	1	26
Feb. 13, '15, auditors' salary 1915, Rodney Smith, Leonard Martin, Thomas Devoy,	6	0.00
Feb. 17, '15, F. L. Kendall postage June 1, '14 to		
Feb. 1, '15,	I	34
Feb. 18, E. F. Hoyt, 2 cords stove wood, Div. 17,	12	00
Feb. 27, Fred A. McClintock postage, from Feb.		
15, '14, to Feb. 27, '15,	_	68
Feb. 27, Rodney Smith services as clerk 1915,	5	00
	\$29	78
Balance on hand Feb. 27, 1915,	\$ 66	34
REPORT OF PRESENT TREASURER		
RECEIPTS.		
Apr. 8, 1915, Received from retiring Treasurer	\$ 66	34
" 13 " Received from town district board		
Lenora J. Gilmore, note, cash borrowed	500	00
Amount required by law	1026	
Special appropriation	2755	00
Literary fund •		00
Dog licenses	85	91
State aid for average attendance		50

For qualified teachers	\$ 94	00
For tuition rebate	240	00
For Superintendent's salary	150	00
Feb. 1, 1916, From town of Antrim, tuition		
Treadwell children	16	00
Feb. 4, 1916, From town of Windsor, tuition		
Thayer children	6	00
Total receipts	\$5079	68
Notes Paid.		
Lenora J. Gilmore, note	\$500	00
Interest on same	18	7.5
-	\$518	75
CLEANING ACCOUNT.		
Nellie Crossman	\$	50
Cora Proctor		75
Mrs. H. J. Grimes	2	00
Mrs. H. Murdock		00
E. E. Farrar, out-house and stove		00
Isabell Powers Mrs. H. Murdock		00
MIS. II. Muldock		00
	\$15	25
WOOD ACCOUNT.		
A. J. Craige, flat school	\$ 1	50
Elberton E. Farrar, 2½ cords put in shed		00
Frank C. Brockway, 6 cords put in shed	30	00
Geo. W. Merrill, 2 cords and labor		50
H. J. Grimes, kindlings		50
C. S. Flanders, 3 loads kindlings Elton T. Proctor, wood and kindlings		00
Herman W. Matthews, 3 cords wood put in shed		50
H. C. Smith, 2 cords stove wood		00
Geo. Tuttle, 1 cord wood		00
Elberton E. Farrar, 2 cords wood	10	00
	\$113	co

High School Tuition.						
15 Pupils to Dec. 4, 1914 \$150 oc						
Doris Harvey, one term ending March 11, 1914	10 00					
14 Pupils, winter term ending March 11, 1915	140 00					
15 " spring " " June 18, "	150 00					
13 " fall " " Dec. 3, "	130 00					
13 " winter " " March 10, 1916	130 00					
	\$710 00					
Tuition in Grades.						
6 Pupils, winter term, 1914 and 1915	\$24.00					
6 " spring " 1915	24.00					
5 " fall " 1915	20.00					
5 " winter " 1915 and 1916	20.00					
	\$88.00					
Officers' Salaries .	"					
Frank L. White, Moderator, March Meeting, 191	4 \$ 5 00					
	5 00					
" " School Board Salary, 1914, 1915	25 00					
Elberton E. Farrar, School Board Salary, 1914, 1	915 25 00					
Deborah M. Brown, """""""""""""""""""""""""""""""""""""	" 25 00					
Elwin M. Gammell, Enumeration " "	"					
and Truant Officer's salary	12 00					
	\$97 00					
SUPPLIES.						
Milton Bradley Co., supplies	\$ 8 87					
Fred J. Gibson, Broom, Rope, Pencils, etc.	3 83					
F. E. Halladay, Pail and Dipper	85					
Ginn & Co.	20					
Eagle Pencil Co., Pencils	III					
Edward E. Babb & Co., B. B. Slating	4 31					
Milton Bradley Co., Crayons, Paper, Pencils	21 48					
Edward E. Babb, Flag, etc.	4 69					
W. E. Newman, Pail Covers and Labor	90					
	\$46 24					

REPAIRS.

Henry W. Adams, Labor on Closet, Div. 4.	\$	75
Elberton E. Farrar, Labor on Ventilator, Div. 4.	ı	00
C. B. White, Labor, Lower Village Schoolhouse	2	50
Henry W. Adams, Shingling Div. 4 Closet	I	25
Fred J. Gibson, Shingles and Nails, Div. 4.	I	99
Austin Gee, Plastering and Whitewashing	10	50
F. J. Temple, Painting in 8 Schoolhouses	30	OI
W. E. Newman, Stove Pipe and Labor	4	07
F. J. Gibson, Paint for inside 8 schoolhouses	50	•
Henry W. Adams, Window Frame, Div. 4.		75
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		
C D M	\$103	14
CASH PAID TEACHERS.		
Edythe Crooker, 6 weeks to Jan. 15, 1915	\$ 60	
Alice Shirland Grace Crane	248	
Leon Davis	341	
Ruth Peasley	248	
Leolyn Annis	104	
Gertrude Janowsky	217	00
Dorís Rumrill	91	00
Bernard Annis	144	
Edythe Crooker Doris Miller	183 126	
Bernice Werden		00
Berniee Werden		
	\$1953	00
Superintendant's Salary.		
F. L. Kendall to Feb. 15, 1915, salary	\$100	00
" " June 15, " "	100	00
" Oct. 15, " "	100	00
" "Feb. 15, 1916, "	100	00
	\$ 400	00
Targyan A ayord	#400	-00
INSURANCE.	#	
Holman & Smith, Lower Village Schoolhouse,	\$12	00

TRANSPORTATION.

Geo. M. Russell to Jan. 15, 1915 Ernest E. Gould """ Mrs. E. M. Hills """ Noah F. Murdo, 1 year ending June 25, 1915 Grace M. Crane to June 25, 1915, 1 year Ernest E. Gould, \$26, 16, 15.20, 16, 16 16, 12, 16 Martha J. Dresser, \$28, 20, 44, 8	10	00 00 50 00 20
Geo. M. Russell	30	00
Noah F. Murdo, \$12.50, 26.50, 26	65	СО
John Mozsznaramicz	14	00
E. W. Newcomb, \$12, 12, 21	45	00
	\$517	70
JANITOR WORK.		
Gertrude Janowsky	\$ 2	00
Levi Wilson, 9 weeks to April 21, 1915	4	50
Ralph E. Farrar, to Jan. 15, 1915		00
Clifton H. Smith, """	2	00
Elizabeth Grimes, " " "	2	00
Clifton H. Smith, June 29, "	1	50
Deborah M. Brown, Reimbursement 1 week		50
Clarissa A. M. Lowe, to June 29, 1915	1	50
Ruth A. Peasley, " " "	I	50
Leon B. Davis, " " "	1	50
Edythe M. Crooker, Fall 1914, Winter 1915	3	80
John Thayer, Div. 6, to June 29, 1915	6	00
Elizabeth Grimes to " " "	1	50
Ruth Peasley	2	00
John Thayer	2	00
Doris Miller	2	00
Elizabeth Grimes	2	00
Clifton H. Smith	2	00
Bernice Werden	2	00

Stephen P. Whitney	\$	2	00
Edythe M. Crooker		2	00
John Thayer		3	00
Arthur Dodge, building fire 2 weeks			50
David Ray, " " "			50
	\$,	50	30
Miscellaneous Orders.			
Smith Heating Co., Grate for Lower Village			
School Heater	\$		80
Levi Wilson, Housing Wood, Upper Village		I	00
Holman & Smith, Treasurer's Bond		3	00
Treasurer's Stamp			37
John Thayer, Cleaning Out Closet			00
Flanders & Chadwick, Letterheads and Enveloper	5	6	55
Leon B. Davis, Typewriting School Warrants			50
Frank L. White, Expenses to Peterboro, N. H.		5	00
Rumford Printing Co., 10 Copies N. H. Constituti	011		56
S. H. Baker, 6 Curtains		Į	50
S. G. Cook, Repairing Organ		4	00
Leon B. Davis, Balance on bill		1	45
D. C. Heath & Co., Winslows: "Earth and its peop	ple''	_	15
Gee Bros., Drawing Gravel		6	00
E. W. Newcomb, Measuring Distances		2	50
Leon E. Annis, Lock and Labor		I	00
D., E. Gordon, Repairing Clock			50
Harold Harvey, 12 loads sand		I	20
Bernard Annis, Fly Paper			45
Flanders & Chadwick, Enumerating Cards			95
E. W. Proctor, Team for teachers to Lower Villag	е	I	
Frank L. White, Postage, Glass, etc.			62
W. E. Newman, Pails and Labor		I	80
F. J. Temple, Oiling Floor		I	00

Elberton E. Farrar, Postage from Feb. 18, 1915 to Feb. 7, 1916 F. L. Kendall, Postage from Feb. 1, 1915	\$ 2	24
to Feb. 27 , 1916	2	12
	\$57	76
Musical Instruction.		
Gertrude VanDommele, 5 weeks to Jan. 15, 1915	\$ 30	00
" 8 " May 22, "		00
" 5 " July "	30	00
	\$108	00
Total Receipts	\$5079	68
Overdrawn from State fund to be refunded	3	00
Grand Total	\$5082	68
Expenditures	4790	14
Balance Feb. 15, 1916	\$292	54
Respectfully submitted,		

FRED J. GIBSON,

Treasurer.

The undersigned, auditors for the Town School District, have examined the accounts of the treasurer of the Town School District and find the same correct and proper vouchers for all expenditures,

> LEONARD F. MARTIN, THOMAS DEVOY.

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STATISTICAL TABLE FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JULY 15, 1915.

		PUPILS.		Mem-	Daily ance.	of unce.	ses of	Weeks.	Teach- Month.	
Division.	TEACHERS.	Boys.	Girls.	Average Membership.	Average Daily Attendance.	Per Cent of Attendance.	No. of Cases Tardiness.	No. of W	Wages of Teachers per Month.	
2 3 4 6 10 11 13 17	FALL TERM. Miss Janowsky Miss Rice Miss Annis Mrs. Crane Miss Crooker Mr. Davis Miss Peasley Mrs. Shirland	0 5 8 15 6 9 3 4	5 4 2 11 5 7 3 2	5. 7.97 9.86 23.34 10.82 11.67 5.9	4.92 6.89 8.79 21.44 9.93 10.88 5.81 5.95	98 86 89 91 91 93 98 97	5 0 2 61 13 8 0	11 14 11 12 11 12 11 12	\$28.00 32.00 32.00 44.00 40.00 36.00 32.00	
2 4 6 10 11 13 17	WINTER TERM. Miss Janowsky Miss Annis Mrs. Crane Miss Crooker Mr. Davis Miss Peasley Mrs. Shirland	0 7 12 6 7 3 4	5 3 7 5 5 3 3	5. 9.87 19. 1c.28 11.31 5.99	4.95 8.79 17. 9.96 10.60 5.96 6.96	99 89 89 96 93 99	4 0 17 0 3 2	6 6 5 6 5 6 5	\$28.00 32.00 44.00 40.00 36.00 32.00 32.00	
2 3 4 6 10 11	SPRING TERM. Miss Janowsky Miss Rumrill Miss Annis Mrs. Crane Miss Peasley Mr. Davis Mrs. Shirland	3 8 16 6 7 6	5 6 3 6 5 4 5	5.3 8.99 11.9 20.37 12.28 13.38	5.23 8.49 11.32 17.75 10.96 12.43 7.07	98 94 94 87 89 93 88	3 36 1 33 10 0	13 13 13 13 13 13	\$28.00 28.00 32.00 44.00 32.00 36.00 32.00	

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT OF HILLSBOROUGH, N. H.

For the Fiscal Year Ending February 15, 1016, and the School Year Ending July 15, 1915.

OFFICERS.

MODERATOR,

STILLMAN H. BAKER.

CLERK,

DANIEL W. COLE

BOARD OF EDUCATION,

JOSEPH W. CHADWICK,

LEON E. ANNIS,

GEORGE W. HASLET.

AUDITORS,

CHARLES A. JONES, ALFRED L. MANSFIELD,

CHARLES S. PERRY.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS,

FREDERICK L. KENDALL.

SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT WARRANT.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the Inhabitants of the Special School District in the Town of Hillsborough, qualified to vote in District Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in the schoolhouse in said district on Monday, the twenty-seventh day of March, 1916, at seven of the clock in the afternoon, to act on the following subjects:

- 1. To choose a moderator for the ensuing year.
- 2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.
- 3. To choose a member of the board of education for three years.
- 4. To hear the reports of the board of education, treasurer, auditors and other officers and committees heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.
- 5. To see if the district will vote to wire the school building for electric lights, raise money for the same or pass any vote relating thereto.
- 6. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary in addition to the amount required by law, for the support of schools, repairs on buildings, and any other necessary charges arising within said district.
- 7. To choose auditors, agents or committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
- 8. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-ninth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and sixteen.

GEORGE W. HASLET,
JOSEPH W. CHADWICK,
LEON E. ANNIS,
Board of Education.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Again we would submit to you the reports of the heads of the various departments together with the report of the treasurer.

Some changes were made in the teaching force this year, which are included in the report of the Superintendent.

At a suggestion of the late Rev. Mr. Wallace a vote was passed last year that the Board be instructed to investigate the question of a night school and report at the next meeting. The Board instructed the truant officer when he took the school census to make certain inquiries as to the probable number who would attend. Through the kindness of Mr. George W. Lincoln, however, a night school was opened about the middle of January and continued one month under the instruction of Misses Eva Brown, Eva Ash and Elinor Chadwick, superintended by Principal McGaw. This was continued a second month under the generosity of the Hillsboro Woolen Mill Co., and a third month by the Contoocook Mill Corporation with no expense to the district, and a more definite report can be submitted at the annual meeting.

We would also call your attention to an article in the warrant in reference to lighting the school building. The precinct officers generously allowed the use of precinct hall for the night schools, but this cannot be used indefinitely if a night school is to be run.

The subject of an additional course in the high school will be brought up and it is hoped there will be a full and free discussion of the question.

The amount required for text books and supplies for the coming year will be \$500.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

Members of the Board of Education:

I respectfully submit the following report concerning the schools of the Special School District for the year ending February fifteenth, nineteen hundred sixteen.

For two years previous to the close of the school year last June, we had no changes in the regular teaching force. This continuity in service on the part of the teachers gave to the schools a steadiness in aims and purposes, a greater efficiency, and a valuable momentum to assist in tiding over inevitable changes. The resignations that came last summer were from Misses Bernice M. Haves. Addie M. Bucksey and Mary L. Ennis, all of whom received offers of desirable positions in Massachusetts schools. The persons elected to succeed these teachers were Miss Margaret S. Norton of Salisbury, Connecticut, a graduate of Wellesley College in the class of 1015: Miss Hallie A. Buckley of Berlin, New Hampshire, a graduate of Bay Path Institute, Springfield, Massachusetts: and Miss Ruby E. Heath of Lunenburg, Massachusetts, a graduate of the Fitchburg Normal School. The two last named came to us with some teaching experience to their credit. At Christmas time. Miss Heath asked for a release from her contract that she might accept an attractive offer in Massachusetts. After the release was granted, Mrs. Cora L. Scruton accepted the offer of the opportunity to return to her former position in the primary room. At this point, I wish to call attention to an extract from the "Code of Ethics" adopted at the last meeting of the New Hampshire Teachers' Association. The quotation reads as follows: "It is unprofessional for teachers to resign during the period for which they are engaged. They may rightly ask to be released. by giving notice of not less than four weeks, but must in case of refusal abide by their contract."

Since the introduction of commercial subjects in the fall of 1008, there has been but little change in the chara cter of the work as far as the subjects offered are concerned. The time has now come when we may well consider whether we cannot improve our high school in that respect. In common with many others. I feel that we are not meeting the situation as fully as we might; that is, we could offer studies that would be of greater benefit to many of our pupils than those that appear in the curricula as they now stand. The principal subjects that I have in mind are agriculture and household arts. These are new arrivals in the high school field, but they have been received with such enthusiasm, and the work has been developed and or-Sanized so rapidly and well that I feel warranted in saying that it has found a place for itself, and its value is fairly well established.

It is really surprising that within a very short time agricultural subjects have been introduced in one-fourth of the high schools in the state, and that domestic arts subjects are now being taught in fifty of the ninety New Hampshire high schools. Both of the subjects just mentioned are taught in the high school of the neighboring town of Antrim. Their popularity in this school is attested by the fact that very few pupils have elected the Latin curriculum since the introduction of these twentieth century topics. Their evident connection with life and its necessities apparently appeals to the young people.

In order that there may be no misunderstanding, I feel that I ought to say that a girl electing household arts would devote about one-fourth of her time to that work and the remaining three-fourths to English, French, history, possibly some science, and it may be a little mathe-

matics, although the latter topic is entirely left out of the curriculum in some schools. The boy electing agriculture would give perhaps five-sixteenths of his time to that work, and the balance of the time to English, French, mathematics, science, and some history. So that along with the vocational work there would be the so-called cultural to broaden his vision and to give him something to think about besides the mere pursuit of dollars and cents.

The most serious practical difficulty in the way of beginning the work spoken of above seems to be the lack of suitable rooms. A satisfactory solution of his problem may yet be found. Some money would be needed for equipment. Probably two or three hundred dollars would purchase tools and kitchen utensils enough to begin with, at least. And further, a slight additional appropriation would be needed to cover the expense of laboratory material.

There is another phase of school work to which I wish to call your attention. The unexpectedly large attendance at the evening school maintained the past winter at private expense raises the question as to whether it would not be well to make this a regular part of our school system, and whether money thus invested would not yield a bountiful harvest in patriotism, and in the elimination of "hyphenated" Americans.

FREDERICK L. KENDALL,
Superintendent of Schools.

TEACHERS, FEBRUARY, 1916.

*G. Hampton McGaw, A. B., High, Wesleyan University *Irene A. Graves, A. B., High, Middlebury College Margaret S. Norton, A. B., High, Wellesley College Hallie A. Buckley, Bay Path Institute High, *Lestina M. Goddard, VII A. VIII Gorham Normal *Eva B. Ash, VII B, VI, Keene Normal *Flora E. Arnaud, IV, V, Orleans, Mass., High Eva W. Brown, II A, III, Wheaton Seminary I, II B, Tilton Seminary *Cora L. Scruton, Gertrude VanDommele, Music, Cornell Univ., Music Dept. Manual Arts, Mass. Nor. Art Elsie M. S. Woll.

*State Certificate.

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL.

To the Superintendent of Schools:

Herewith I offer my fifth annual report concerning the Hillsboro High School.

The registration to date numbers 68 pupils, 26 boys and 42 girls. By classes there are 16 Seniors, 11 Juniors, 19 Sophomores, 22 Freshmen.

The routine daily work of the school has continued in program and method similar to last year. Classes in Spelling and in Declamation for all pupils have been introduced. The Class of 1915 presented to the school a large flag and a set of pictures for the main hall as a graduation gift, thus establishing a custom which it is hoped will become permanent.

The school is at present represented by its graduates in three colleges, two normal schools, and several other schools; there are in all eleven persons thus continuing their education.

Last year's graduating class numbered fifteen. Of these graduates, five are continuing studies, one is teaching, one is a stenographer in a lawyer's office, three found employment in varied mercantile service, and five are occupied with pursuits on the farm or in the household.

G. H. McGAW. Principal of High School,

REPORT OF THE SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC.

To the Superintendent of Schools:

The following report of the Music Department of the Hillsboro schools is respectfully submitted:

At the end of June, 1915, each grade had covered the material necessary for that grade and in some cases exceeded the amount, with careful attention to expression and tone quality.

By using new material just published we are able to start the second grade in singing from books at an earlier date. They are now using Dann's "Second Year Music." In Grade I, oral and blackboard work is done. Grade III is more advanced than ever before and uses Dann's "Third Year Music."

It would be hard to choose between Grades 4, 5 and 6 which one does the best work. Grade V sings two part music with splendid tone quality. It is indeed a pleasure to hear the three part work in Grades VI and VII.

All parents or those interested in school music should visit the regular classes, where they would get a better idea of the method of instruction and of work done than from a public exhibition.

The VIIth and VIIIth Grades are studying bass clef, with the intention of preparing the boys more thoroughly than ever for advanced chorus work in high school. An improvement in high school music would be to have some member of the faculty give instruction in chorus singing during the week, thereby making it possible to finish selections in a more thorough manner. I would like also to have arranged a system for credit for music in the high

school, and classes in theory, appreciation, and music history for those who feel that they cannot sing. All of our music this year has been for three parts on account of the lack of tenor voices. A large number of the students are practicing on an operetta to be given in public later in the year. On one occasion this term we had an informal musicale at cherus period, at which several pupils gave instrumental and vocal solos and quotations were read from musical magazines. We hope to have other events of this kind later on.

I feel that the interested effort of the teachers is bringing the music as a whole up to a high standard.

GERTRUDE VANDOMMELE, Supervisor of Music.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF MANUAL ARTS.

To the Superintendent of Schools:

The following report of the Department of the Manual Arts is respectfully submitted:

The work in the grades in the Hillsborough school is a continuation of the work of previous years and includes courses in the following subjects: Nature drawing, color, design, paper and card board construction, paper cutting, representation, illustration and construction drawing. The courses aim to develop in children the power to express their ideas in graphic form, to think constructively, to work neatly and accurately, and to appreciate beauty.

There has been a noticeable improvement in the quality of the work over that of last year.

The work in drawing in the high school takes the form of a course in mechanical drawing for Freshman and Sophomore boys, and a course in design and sewing for Freshman and Sophomore girls.

The success of drawing depends more than anything else on the attitude that the teacher herself takes toward the subject. The assistance and earnest co-operation of the teachers is largely responsible for the interest in this work that prevails in the grades.

ELSIE M. S. WOLL, Supervisor of Manual Arts.

REPORT OF TREASURER.

For Year Ending Feb. 15, 1916.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1915		\$683	10
Rec'd tax required by law		2310	57
" Special appropriation		3710	00
" Literary fund		162	00
" Dog license		193	29
" Deering school tax		24	36
" State part of superintendent's salary		225	00
" Allowance for average attendance		243	00
" Allowance for approved teachers		360	00
" For tuition		1130	66
" From the Office Appliance Co., over paid			07
	#	9044	05
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EXPENDITURES.			
Repairs, furniture, heating apparatus, etc.	\$	13	35
Free text books	T T	128	-
Reference books, maps and other apparatus		37	
Scholars' supplies		333	_
Paid teachers		5005	
District's part of superintendent's salary		450	
Truant officer		10	
Paid janitor		560	00
Fuel		262	
Water rent		25	
Miscellaneous		235	
	\$5	3059	99

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Balance in bank February 15, 1916

Outstanding check No. 3839, F. L. Kendall	\$37	50
Balance on hand	\$984	06
Tuition uncollected	\$76	00
Balance of Marion A. Moore fund in Hillsborough	h	
Guaranty Savings Bank, with interest from	m É	
Feb. 15, 1915	\$638	18
Respectfully submitted,		
LEON E. ANNIS, Treasure	er.	

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of Leon E. Annis, Treasurer, and find the same correct.

CHARLES A. JONES, CHARLES S. PERRY, ALFRED L. MANSFIELD, Auditors. Pupils who were neither absent nor tardy one or more terms during the year ending in June, 1915:

HIGH SCHOOL.

11101		JA10024.	
No Te	o. of rms		No. of Terms
Harold E. Colburn	3	Hope Smith	2
Flora M. Davis	3	Ruth A. Ash	1
Roena B. Eaton	3	Raymond L. Carter	1
Nellie E. Hemphill	3	Stuart R. Ferry	1
Averill G. McAlpine	3	Dorothea A. Flanders	I
E. Louise Munhall	3	Marion D. Halladay	I
Ida P. Phelps	3	Anna F. Harrington	1
Hamilton Rumrill	3	Annie Hemphill	I
Florence B. Russell	3	Maude A. Hilliard	I
Charles W. Scruton	3	Vera E. Matthews	1
James H. Travis	3	Lillian K. McAdams	1
Ermine M. Barnes	2	Paul J. McAdams	¥
Carleton M. Chamberlin	2	Evelyn A. Mosley	Ī
Dorothy C. Colby	2	Dorothy P. Robertson	I '
Celia M. Favor	2	John B. Tasker, Jr.	1
Eunice M. Gaddas	2	Marie A. Tasker	· 1
Ruth M. Gibson	2	Alma M. Warne	I
Lottie M. Prescott	2	Rose E. Whelan	1
Marie W. Reynolds	2	M. Arline Wilson	1
GRADES	VII	AND VIII.	
	o. of		No. of Terms
Eileen B. Buttrick	3	Herbert L. Burbank	I
Walter B. Dutton	3	Mary J. Falardeau	1
Robert C. Griffin	3	Lester H. Hicks	1
Chester J. Jordan	3	Vanessa E. Hicks	I
Gladys N. Proctor	3	Paul W. Jones	T
Charles A. Russell	3	Edith M. Page	1
Marion C. Griffin	2	Fannie M. Proctor	I
Florence V. Perkins	ż	Violet H. Sleener	T

John T. Pevar

GRADE VI.

Stanley W. Daniels	No. of Terms	Ollo P. York	No. of Terms
	3		2
Morton S. Bailey		Ralph P. Dickinson	I
Norman M. Buttrick		Wallace H. Gaddas	I
Lester Kemp		Mabel I. Page	I
Bernice M. Proctor	2	William H. Roach	1
Ola Wilson	2		

GRADES IV AND V.

	No. of Terms	·	No. of Terms
Robert G. Bruce	3	Annie Kulbackie	I
Alice M. Hill	, 3	Paul Lacey	I
Harry S. McClintock	3	Lillian McBride	ī
Joseph Pevar	3	Fontelle Perkins	I
John H. Powell	3	June Pero	ı
Mary A. Quimby	3	Helen Raines	I
Earl C. Tucker	3	Joseph Raines	I
Ethel F. Clark	2	Nina F. Saunders	I
Samuel C. Kemp	2	Ruth E. Shutts	I
Marion E. Melrose	2	Donald V. Smith	I
Nora Ashford	ĭ	Pearl Smith	I
Oscar P. Goodwin	I		

GRADES IIA AND III.

	No. of Terms	•	No. of Terms
Marion Brown	3	Katherine Wadleigh	2
Ronald Buttrick	2	Jan Karejwa	I
Thorold Flint	2	Lester Landon	I
Walter Martin	2	Alexander Macinkewi	z i
Samuel Pevar	2	Edith Prag	1
Mark Russell	2	Paul Stinson	ĭ

GRADES I AND IIB.

re a t		 o. of		No. of Terms
William Landon	1	2 ;	Doris Gregoire	I
Henry Martin		2 .	Harold Martin	1
Zygmunt Wardenski		2	Raymond McBride	I
Albert Clark		I.	Willis McClintock	1
William Dumais		1 -	Leslie Nelson	I
Mary E. Flanders		I.	Alec Pevar	I
Dorothy Gordon		I	Charles Treadwell	1

STATISTICAL TABLE.

FOR THE SCHOOL	OL YEAR	END	ING I	N JUN	E, 191	5
TEACHER.	Grade.	Enrollment.	Average Membership.	Average Attendance.	Per Cent of Attendance.	Salary.
G. H. McGaw, A. B. Head Master Bernice M. Hayes, B. S. Irene A. Graves, A. B. Addie M. Bucksey Lestina M. Goddard Eva B. Ash Flora E. Arnaud Eva W. Brown Mary L. Ennis	High " VII, VIII VI IV, V IIA, III I, IIB	71 37 38 53 43 53	68.93 35.18 34.60 43.87 37.13 45.45	33.24 32.72 41.04 34.50 42.19	95-30 94-45 94-56 93-54 92-93 92-82	\$1400 650 550 700 504 468 468 432 466
		295	265.16	249.41	94.02	
Non-resident pupils inch	ıded in tot	al				41
Gertrude Van Dommele,	•					\$200.00
Elsie M. S. Woll, superv			, ,			200.00
	FALL TEI	RM, 1	915.	dr.k		
Pupils enrolled Average membership	-1					269
Average attendance						254.46 242.20
Per cent of attendance						95.18
Non-resident pupils	to day of					95.10

Marriages Registered in the Town of Hillsborough for the Year Ending December 31, 1915.

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Date of Marriage	of See	Name and Surname of Bride and Groom	Residence of Each at Time of Marriage	Occupation of Groom Age in years	Place of Birth of Bach	Name of Father	Birthplace of Father	Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons by
Jan. 4 III.	4 Hillsboro	n ade	Roxbury, Mass.	Clerk Dressmaker Pascoag, R. Mill Operative Madeira 1s,	Pascoag, R. I. Madeira Is.	Butier Libby A. B. Copeland Jos. Dundrade Joaquin Gomes	Limerick, Me. Pascoag, R. I. Maderia Is.	2 Rev. N. B. Cook, Hillsboro 1 Ralph G. Smith, J. Hillsboro
23 4 Na	Nashua	ose.	Nashua Hillsboro	Merchant Nurse	ass.	Joseph Lehorai Russia S. Grnewska Geo. T. Ambrose Boscawen S. L. Kendall	Russia Boscawen Hillsboro	Rev. J. G. Leclerc, Hillsboro Rev. G. E. Soper,
27 Manchest Feb. 16 Hillsboro	27 Manchester 16 Hillsboro	-	Henniker Hillsboro	Merchant Merchant Laborer Rousekeeper	ker oro ord nsin	ws ab	Hopkinton Boston, Mass. Providence Ireland	H. McF. B. Ogilby, Manchester I'Rev. R. W. Wallace.
Apr. 17 Henniker	mniker	Charles H. Bassler Myrtie A. Kimball Harry E. Pike	: : : :	29 2 Claren Claren 21. # Teamster Salish	nont ury, Ms.	s let	New Jersey Lempster Salisbury, Ms.	1 Samuel W. Holman, J. P., 3 Hev. E. B. Young,
June 3 Hillshoro	Ilsboro	Maurice H. Barnes Statira H. Faton Wincenty Szeliga	3 3 3 3	20 Z Carpenter Decring 20 Z Mill Operative New Jersey			Hillshoro Deering A. Poland	I'Rev. N. B. Cook, Hillsboro
27 He 27 ME	27 Henniker 27 Manchester	e e	u. u. Manchester	227 " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "	Mass. Madison, Me. Augusta, Me.	Jos. Harewicz John Paige L. H. Huntoon Albert H. Pope		Rev. E. B. Young, Hillsboro
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Sept. I Hillshoro	Hillsboro	Family Jordan Fatiana Lopata James L. Filsworth Nettie E. Whitcomb		220 " Harris. 23 " "Harris. Mass.	ville	Onsen Jordan Russi Peter Lopata J. B. Ellsworth C. F. Whitcomb Mass.	Russia Wass.	IRev. A. Strockyj, Manchester I'Rev. J. G. Leclerc, Illilsboro

The second second	I Kev. N. B. Cook, Hillsboro	I. I.Kev. N. B. Cook, Hillsboro	2 Rev. Frank W, Harvey,	Rev. J. G. Leclerch.	T HIIISDOTO		2 Rev. N. B. Cook, Hillsboro	Rev. Harry A. Platts.	
1	Rugene A. Ward Freeport, Me. 1 Rev. N. B. Cook, Hillshor L. H. Huntoon Fairfield, Me. 1	G. Y. Hutchins Lowell, Mass lames H. Iones Hillsboro	C. F. Ingails Richmond	S. Milewski Russia	Adam Kantor	John W. Wood Dudigy, Ms.	James O. Carr Antrim	Wm. H. Patten Deering	John Murray F. E. Island
MAKKTAGER CONTINORD,	Me	Mass, 27 Chemist Mass.				24 E Superintend't Webster, Ms,	26 Mill Operative Hillsboro	19 Chauffeur Deering Wm. H. Patten Deering	20 Milliner Franklin
	Hillsbore	Stonehan	100 SIII H	E. Washi	tonerius ()	Madison, Me,	orogenius o	3 3	Antrim
	Harry E. Ward	Parker J. Hutchins S.	Jeannette E. Jones	G. A. Harriman	Michalina Kantor	Chester C. Wood	D. Gwendo'n Farker fackson C. Carr	Nellie E. Yeaton Charles V. Patten	Charlotte M, Murray
	Sept. 6 Hillsboro	1.5	or E. Washingto		Oct. 2 Hillsboro	,, 9I	,,	Theo vo Merrimac	200000000000000000000000000000000000000
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Births Registered in the Town of Hillsborough for the Year Ending December 31, 1915.

	Birthplace of Mother	Hillsboro	Brookline, Mas.	Madeira Is.	N. Brunswick Russia	Canada	E. Washington	,aucaster Fillsboro	Henniker	New York	Concord	Feyette, Me.	Germany	Hillsboro	Canada	Boston, Mass.	Rutland; Vt.	Mauchester	Rutland, Vt.	Marlow	Suncook	Austria	Gloucester, Ms.	Poland	Warner	Suncook	Austria
	Birthplace of Father	Roxbury, Ms. I	Is.					Mill Operative Lawrence: Ms. Hillsboro	Hillsboro	New York	-	Lyndeboro	· STAT	1	Deering C	-	100		L'aconia F	ton	Canada	Anetrio	Jr.		land	it	
	Occupation of Father	Farmer	Veill Onematin	Laborer Hillsboro	Carpenter Weare	Laborer Canada Will Operative Phode Island	Spinner	Laborer Mill Operative		Clerk	Mill Operative Liv'pool, Eng.	Weaver	Mill Operative Germany	Farmer	Laborer	Y. M. C. A. Sec. Hillsboro	". " Mudos Conn	Farmer	Barber	Farmer	Watchman	Weaver	Laborer	Mill Operative Poland	Mill Operative Duccie	Carder	Mill Operative Austria
	Residence of Parents	Hillsboro	"		"	, ,	3	u u	Hillsboro Cen.	Hillsboro	"	"	***	= =	""	Bostoff, Mass.	HILISDOTO	77	,,,		77	33	,	: :	"	* **	, ,
	Physician Reporting	W. L. Kelso		G. S. Bailey	W. L. Kelso W. P. Grimes	W. L. Kelso	W. L. Kelso	W.F. Grimes	77	W. P. Grimes	G. S. Bailey	C. B. Apport	W. P. Grimes	W. P. Crimes	W. L. Kelso	3 2 2 2 2	G. S. Balley	W. P. Grimes	W. L. Kelso	W. P. Grimes	W. L. Kelso	" " "	C. B. Abbott	W.P. Grimes	G. S. Bailey	W. L. Kelso	G. S. Bailey
	Mother's Maiden Name	Bessie M. Kimbal Jessie M. Russell	Ina A. Dudley	Frances C. Pierce	Mertie I. Sloat S. Zeladziewicz	Phileme. Drapeau W. L. Kelso Pearl A. Leavitt W. P. Grime	Thelma P. Shaw	Minnie French	M. G. Huntington	Hattie M. Gregg	Rosie Gloddy	Bernice A. Straw	Frances Steven	Pauline Brockwar	Alice Norman	Helen Loring.	Estella Uaban	Tate McDermott	Florina Sherman	G. M. Russell	Rosa Dumais	Bronislawa Fronc	B. Nickerson	S. Grenewicz	Martina Castine	Nellie Dumais .	Mary Atosiak G. S. Bailey Almira C. Whitney C. B. Abbott
	Father's Name	TFred'ck L. HeartyBessie M. Kimball W. L. Kelso		-	8 Eben. F. Peaslee	Simeon LaCasse Herbert M. Clark	L'acey		le!	5 Carl C. Colby F	ап	Thomas L. Coxon F		IA. J. Sargent		James G. Barnes	2 Adam Ryba Estella Uaban	4 Joseph E. Deshan Kate McDermott	Arthur W. Noel Florina Sherman	2 M. J. Severence	2J. A. B. Vallanc'rt		6	Paul Lichoroy		ıt	2 Stanislaw Holuj
Sex and Condition	Living or Or Stillborn No.	iving	,,,	1.7	11	Living 7.8	- H	***	99	4 4 5 6	,,,	","	"		******	333	"	"	, ,,	"	200),	32	",	"	11	: 3
	Male or Female O		H. Male	F. Female	M	F. Female	3 3	Male		rant Male	E. E.	G. Female	Male	3 Elizabeth B. Female 3 OHenry N. Male		te E. Mole		Female		Fe	Male		Iay Female	M Male			I J. Male
	Date o Birth of Child	Jan. 8 Thelma	Feb 27 Milton H.	15 Pauline F	24	Mar. c	T. CO.	May 1	4 Antoinette	25 Carl Grant	June , George B.	re Harriet G.		July 3 Hilzabeth	23	Aug. 3 Charlotte E.	26	Sept. 9	20 Lindsev H.	22 Barbara	Oct. To		21 Ethel May	24 Juna	Nov. 10	13	29 Edward J.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Hillsborough for the Year Ending December 31, 1915.

Disease or Cause of Death	Coince Arterio Selerosis Apoplexy Stillhorn Inanition Cardiac Dilation Brouchitis Diverse of Breast Cardiac Dilation Brouchitis Int. Obstruction Ordena of Lung Aheroma Inanition Inanition Inanition Inanition Inanition Apoplexy Arterio Sclerosis Acclusion Bill'd't Apoplexy Arterio Sclerosis Chr. Prostatis Acclusion Bill'd't Carcinona Suicide Carcinona Suicide Carcinona Carcinona Carcinona Carcinona Carcinona Carcinona Pheroma P
Birthplace of Mother	Russia Warner Brookline, Ms. Brookline, Ms. Goffstown Alfenstown Hancock Hillsboro Washington Hudson N. H. Mass. N. Brunswick Hillsboro Salisbury Hillsboro
Birthplace of Father	Anutrim New Ipswich Russia Hillsboro Mass. Taunton, Ms. Anuherst Mass. New Boston Gorfstown Hillsboro Deering Germany Francestown Lyndeboro Liverpool Liverpool Liverpool Hillsboro Hillsboro Dentiac, Wis. Hillsboro Hillsboro Hillsboro Hillsboro Meare Hillsboro Hillsboro Marlow Weare Hillsboro Hillsboro Hillsboro Marlow Weare Hillsboro Marlow Weare Hillsboro Marlow Weare Hillsboro Wales Hillsboro
Maiden Name of Mother	Rebecca Blood Autrim Biliza Butmau S. Zeladziewicz Russia Frances Peirce Hillsboro Mass. Abagail Hardy Anse. Abagail Hardy Anse. Abagail Hardy Mass. Abagail Hardy Mass. Belvira Hunt Goffstown Sybil Taylor Rhena Codman Berelope Stone Rariow Rariow Rariow Rariow Rariow Rariow Rariow Rariow Rariow Britel L. Soule Eliz. McQuesten Harriet Rines M Breckenridge Eliz. McQuesten Harriet Rines M Breckenridge Eliz. McQuesten Harriet Rines M Breckenridge Flora Sears Marlow Martha Baldwin Hillsboro Flora Sears Martha Baldwin Hillsboro Martha Baldwin Hillsboro Rariow Martha Baldwin Hillsboro Rariow Martha Baldwin Hillsboro Margaret Bell Mary Roberts Mary Roberts Margaret Bell Mary Roberts Margaret Bell Mary Roberts Margaret Bell Mary Roberts Ware Scotland Autrim Jos. M. Rogers Ware Mark Roberts Ware Mark Roberts Ware Scotland Autrim Jos. M. Rogers Ware Mark Roberts Ware Mark Roberts Washington Hattie M. Gregg Hillsboro Eliza. Collins Washington
Name of Father	Henry Simonds Wm. Prichard John Rayznik F. M. Whitcomb F. M. Croker Samuel Davis Daniel G. Dodge John G. Robbins R. E. Loveren Charles Storl Harve Nichols Wm. Buckman E. R. Whitney Daniel Donegan Beniel Bonke George Bellows Samuel Gibson Wm. McNeil T. E. Clement G. B. Huntley Fred E. Clement G. B. Huntley Fred E. Clement G. B. Huntley Fred E. Clement G. B. Huntley Samuel Gibson Ariel Tousic Andries Walace Andries Walace Andrew Sargent Fred E. Clement Rueben Paige Hiram Wilkins Scott H. Baton Ariel Tousic Fred Nichols Fred Ni
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Place of Birth	Hancock Bradford Hillsboro " " Taunton, Ms. Taunton, Ms. Taunton, Ms. Taunton, Ms. New Boston Concord Hillsboro Hillsboro Beering Hillsboro Bering Hillsboro Bering Hillsboro
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Years	
Name and Surname of Deceased	12 Emma I., Gardue 14 William B. Priche 26 George E., Barnee 26 Pauline M. Clapp 26 Janien M. Clapp 27 Janes Davis 29 Abbie J. Grimes 29 Abbie J. Grimes 20 Abbie J. Grimes 20 Abbie J. Grimes 30 Abbie J. Grimes 30 Abbie J. Grimes 4 Junita Johnson 11 Wm. S. Loveren 11 Flora E. Butterfi 31 Charles J. Storl 32 Carloine F. Peiro 46 George B. Whitu 53 Carloine F. Peiro 46 George B. Ponege 36 Ranye S. Grimen 36 Clara I. Craine 36 Gran I. Craine 36 Glara I. Craine 36 Gran I. Craine 36 Gran I. Craine 36 Gran I. Couli 36 Gran I. Craine 37 Gran I. Couli 37 Gran I. Couli 37 Gran I. Couli 38 Gran I. Couli 37 Gran I. Couli 38 Gran I. Couli 38 Gran I. Couli 38 Gran I. Couli 38 Aunie M. Nichols 39 Aunie M. Nichols 30 Aunie M. Nichols 30 Aunie M. Nichols 31 Mary S. Bragg 31 Wary S. Bragg 31 Wary S. Bragg 31 Wary S. Bragg 31 Wary S. Bragg
Date of Date of	Jan. Feb, Mar. May July July Aug. Sept. Oct. Nov.

